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On all of our Double-Breasted Winter Suits, Heavy Overcoats and Ulsters a discount of 33 Per Cent will be given, which reduces an $18 Ulster to $12.

All other Winter weights in Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats will be sold 10 per cent. cheaper than elsewhere.

Our prices have always been 10 per cent cheaper than other houses, and we will make a larger discount than any competitor. (Where other houses give a discount of 25 per cent on a $20 suit, which reduces it to $15, our reduction brings the same grade of suit to $13.50), and all other suits and Overcoats at the same ratio.

All of our $7, $6.50, $6 and $5 Pants are reduced to $3.75.

We guarantee our prices are equal to 33⅓ per cent. discount made by our competitors on the same grade of goods.

This sale includes Winter Underwear, Caps, Gloves and Mittens. We are going to make the month of February a big month if the people need the goods.

All goods sold at these prices for Cash only.

Sale to continue for 30 days only

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY AN OVERCOAT.

COME AND SEE.

RACE CLOTHING M'F'G CO.

129--135 North Water Street

THE GREAT BARGAIN TREE HAS ONCE MORE BEEN SHAKEN, and as the wind blew strongly to the southwest here are a few of the many bargains that fell INTO the

O. M. ANSTEAD

Dry Goods, Carpet and Cloak House,

To be handed out to our friends and customers this week, commencing at 8 a. m., Monday, Feb. 26.

One of the new things are the Swivel Silks, for waists, dresses, etc., 27 inches wide, wash like a handkerchief. Anstead has them; Price 50c—not 65c or 58c.

13 pieces more of those extra fine Henriettas, 48 inches wide.

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Anstead proposes to let this lot of 20 pieces out this week at just *One-Half* the price they are retailed at by any other house. They are suited to the *finest trade* and should be bought freely by the ladies wishing an elegant dress at *half price*.

ANSTEAD'S HOSIERY DEPARTMENT will offer four lines of Hosiery at *prices never attempted before*.

100 doz. Ladies' Fine Forfy Gauge, every pair stamped, *extra length*, fast black, size 8½ to 10. This Hose is an article sold the world over at 50c. We will let this lot go at 25c—*Anstead's flat price*—(pair or box)—this week only.

100 doz. Fast Black Hose, the regular 25c kind—take all you want at 12½c; full regular made and full fashioned.

100 doz. Fast Black Hose, the 20c kind, go at 10c.

100 doz. Fast Black Hose, the 10c kind, go at 5c.

ANSTEAD'S DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT will sell this week 78 different brands of Sheeting, bleached and unbleached, at the same price we advertised last week, the most prominent brands being

100 pieces Fruit of the Loom, bleached, at 6⅞c
20 pieces Lonsdale, bleached, at..... 6⅞c
20 pieces Lonsdale Cambric..... 9½c
20 pieces Berkeley Cambric, No. 60,..... 8⅛c
10 pieces Berkeley Cambric, *Extra*,.....12c

100 more Bates Quilts, (Green Ticket,) 85c—not $1.25.

100 pieces Slater Dress Lining, combined with dresses, 3c—not 7c.

200 doz. Clark's and Coats' Spool Cotton, 3 spools for 10c.

100 doz. Good Pins, *full count*, 1c per paper—not 5c.

100 doz White Tape, all widths, 1c per roll—not 5c.

O. M. ANSTEAD,

Dry Goods, Carpets and Cloaks,

211 NORTH WATER ST., DECATUR, ILL.

BOSS McKANE MUST GO.

Judge Cullen Refuses to Interfere in His Behalf.

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN]

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Judge Cullen in the Brooklyn, N. Y., court to-day, denied the application of Boss McKane for a certificate of reasonable doubt, in the case of his recent conviction of election frauds, and McKane will be taken to Sing Sing prison.

INTER-STATE COMMERCE ACT

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN]

CHICAGO, Feb. 26—Judge Grosscup, today, in the Chicago court dismissed the rule on railroad men directing them to answer questions put by the grand jury. This decision is regarded as practically nullifying the Inter-State Commerce Act.

CHARLES C. WILSON DEAD.

A Young Man of Bright Promise Taken Away Early in Life.

The many friends of Charles C. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wilson, will be pained to learn that he passed away in death at noon to-day at his home 801 West Wood street, after an illness extending through seven weeks, caused by typhoid fever. He was in the 26th year of his age.

The deceased was a graduate of the Decatur High school, class of '90, of which he was the salutatorian. He was an exceptionally bright and promising young man, and looked forward to a useful career in life as a Baptist minister. Immediately upon his graduation at home, he entered the Colgate Baptist University at Hamilton, N. Y., to prepare himself for his chosen profession. He would have graduated next June had his life been spared. During the World's Fair he was one of the Columbian Guards at Jackson Park, and when the fair closed in October he returned to the university.

There were about twenty-five students at his boarding house at Hamilton, and of that number three were prostrated by typhoid fever. Mr. Wilson was one of the unfortunate young men. By advice of his physician he came home in January. He had been confined to his home since his return, and received the best of attention. He was a member of the Baptist church and of Ionic Lodge, No. 312, A. F. & A. Masons.

The deceased is survived by his grief-stricken parents, three sisters, Mabel, Sadie and Bessie, and two brothers, Roy and Victor.

The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Baptist church. Burial in Greenwood.

A SWINDLER ABROAD.

He Works His Game and Then Skips Out.

Fred Johnson is the name of a man registered at the European hotel on Saturday evening. He was quite friendly with all the traveling men about the office and to the night clerk, Reuben Downs, in particular, to the clerk's sorrow. Johnson represented to all that was seeking to get a railroad job, that he was the representative of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and that all that was necessary for Mr. Downs to do was to fill out an application and hand over $2, and then his application to the lodge would be acted on at the meeting Sunday and that he could report for duty this morning. The young man was a good subject. He complied with all conditions and went so far as to resign his position as clerk at the hotel. Mr. Johnson was absent from the hotel a greater portion of the day Sunday, and after supper was seated in the office talking to Joe Graves. All at once he claimed to have some business away from the hotel and asked Joe for the loan of his overcoat for a few minutes. Mr. Graves loaned him the coat, and that was the last he saw of the coat or the man. To-day Mr. Graves swore out a state warrant for his arrest but so far the officers have been unsuccessful in locating Johnson.

It has since been learned that the night clerk at Huff's East Main street restaurant also put up $2 for a railroad job.

Death of an Infant.

Orville, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Meek, residing at 629 West Marietta street, died Sunday noon. The funeral is in progress this afternoon from the residence. Burial at Greenwood cemetery.

J. L. DRAKE is now the sole owner of the Columbia block, on North Main street, in which the postoffice is located. He paid Rev. W. C. Miller about $10,000 for his half interest in the property.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

SPRING LAKE HUNTING CLUB

Though Once Defeated, It Will Continue Prosecuting Poachers.

A telegram from Peoria states in spite of its recent defeat in the circuit court at Pekin when the Pekin and Spring Lake Hunting and Fishing Club was denied an injunction restraining several owners of adjoining property from the hunting and fishing on its grounds, the club intends to continue a vigorous prosecution of all trespassers. It has now acquired the right, either by purchase or lease, to 10,000 acres of ground and is endeavoring to secure what little of the adjoining property remains. The Tazewell county circuit court recently found indictments against a dozen parties for seining within one-half mile of the dam. These indictments have been certified to the county clerk, and will come up for trial at the May term of court. In the meantime cases will be pushed against several other illegal seiners and trespassers in an endeavor to have them bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

The directory of the club, which includes 300 members from all over this section of the country, have just approved plans for a clubhouse to be built on the east side of the lake, at a cost of $4600. It will contain forty-three rooms, and will be two and a half stories high. A three hundred ton icehouse was half filled during the winter, two keepers' or custodians' houses have been erected, and many miles of barb wire fence constructed. Bids for the clubhouse will be advertised for at once, and work will commence as soon as the weather is suitable. The indignation among hunters and fishers, whom it is intended to bar from the privileges of the lake, increases, and there will likely be serious trouble before the club secures the exclusive right to the property. The Decatur parties interested in the club property will enjoy the privileges of the new clubhouse.

SHOCKED A HORSE.

Electricity Gives Dr. Tobey's Nag a Severe Jolt.

This morning the Citizens' Municipal Telephone Company force began stringing wires on their tall poles recently planted along the street. Nearly in front of the REPUBLICAN office, the tension of the small wire became too tight, and it broke. In falling it rested on a lighting wire carrying a current of 110 volts, far from being enough to kill a man or horse. Under the falling wire stood a horse hitched to a buggy, the property of Dr. Tobey, the county physician. The wire fell in a bounding coil and for a short time so tortured the horse that he danced a jig, finally falling heavily on the pavement with the hot wire over and under him. The telephone men hurried to the horse and promptly removed the wire, and later a number of men got the horse on his feet apparently as good as ever.

At this juncture Dr. Tobey came rushing into the crowd and called out: "What's up?" Somebody said it was the horse, but the doctor was deaf to all jokes, for he saw that a shaft had been shattered and parts of the harness cut. Now the doctor is trying to figure out how he will get even. He owns a big block of stock in the telephone company enterprise, and he is in a quandary as he doesn't want to sue himself. But he says he will make somebody pay the damages.

THE greatest bell in the world, that of Moscow, has never been used as a bell.



Do you know that for every disease flesh is heir to nature's great laboratory holds one right thing that will cure it?

To-day a devoted specialist who has been seeking for years, discovers and brings out a specific—the right thing for some disease that medical men have experimented upon for ages; tomorrow is developed a remedy which blesses all mankind!

Do you know that all real remedies known to science are the results of such work given to the world? They are, and

Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer

is the one right thing that has been found to cure the awful diseases that result from starved and jaded nerves, such as sleeplessness, nervous prostration, fits and epilepsy. It puts new life into nerves; does not stupefy, but re-vitalizes.



PRICE $1.00 A BOTTLE.

Inquire of druggists for free sample. If not found, write us enclosing five cents (stamps) for postage. The doctor gives free advice to any nerve disease sufferers. All welcome.

We offer $500 to any physician or chemist who can show by analysis or otherwise, that this remedy contains morphine, opium cocaine, or any harmful drug.

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In OUR hands, or spot cash, bought all our Winter Goods at remarkably low figures

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In YOUR hands now will go further in buying Clothing of US than you imagine

We are NOT overstocked, but what winter goods we have we are anxious to sell, and we are making prices on them which will sell them. If you want new clothing that is right in fit, workmanship and material and want to own them CHEAP, look through our stock and see what we have to show you.

B. STINE CLOTHING CO.

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Will be used in great profusion this season and we are now prepared to show all the Latest Novelties in BUTTER COLOR and IVORIES, such as:

Mauresque Lace and Insertings,
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Valenciennes in Ivory,
Point de Paris in Ivory,
Cluny in Ivory,
Point Applique, in Ivory,
Torchons, hand made,
Torchons, machine made.

We are also showing some Extraordinary Bargains in

Black Bourdon Laces,

From 2 to 9 inches wide, from 18c to 98c per yard.

SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK.

2,500 yards of "Fruit of the Loom" Bleached Muslin, in Factory Remnant Lengths, at at 6¾c a yard.

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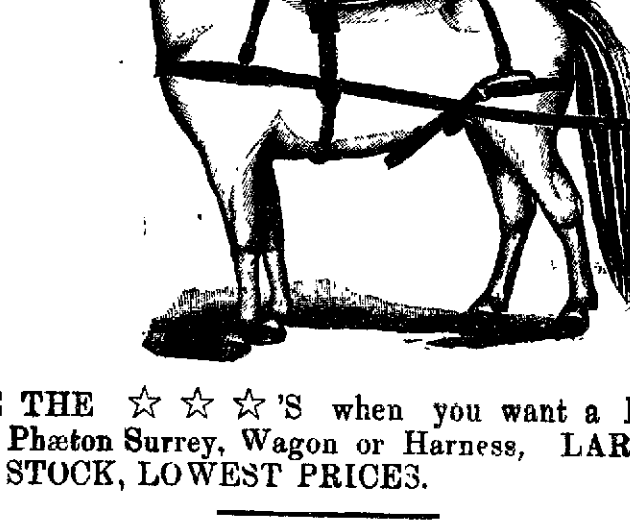
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MONDAY EVE., FEB. 26, 1894

THE first state election this year will be that of Rhode Island, which will occur April 4.

THE Democratic party has injured labor more than all the Pinkertons ever on the face of the earth, whom the Democrats in 1892 characterized as red-handed murderers, cut-throats and thieves.

MANY leading Democrats ought to read newspapers more regularly than they seem to do. There are too many of them who have not read the papers since the Pennsylvania election and have heard nothing about it.

IT is worthy of note that Frank Lawler who has been politically assassinated in the house of his friends and Patrick Eugene Prendergast, who assassinated Carter Harrison both persist in declaring they are still Democrats.

ON Saturday an able-bodied man was seen fishing and eating bread crusts from the refuse barrel in the rear of the Krebs restaurant in Syndicate Block. If such a thing were to happen in Decatur under a Republican administration the Democratic press of the city would pronounce it a new Republican industry.

THE administration has changed its silly "Miss Nancy" policy of snubbing the representatives of the Hawaiian government, because they failed to become frightened at Clevelan's policy and cringe at his feet. At the state dinner given Friday by Gresham, Minister Thurston, of Hawaii, was accorded the seat of honor at the table. The day before England had recognized the Dole government.

THE Republican state central committe is being pressed by leading Republicans from all parts of the state, to call a meeting of the committee at once and fix a time for holding the state convention. The members of the party are anxious to open the fight in the state. They want to get after the enemy and they want to be led to the attack at once. The chances are that the committee, which has been inclined to hold a late convention, will yield to these importunites and that an early state convention will be the result.

CONRESSMAN BLAND of Missouri got mad enough last Friday to read the riot act to his party associates, and while doing it fairly and manfully demonstrated the unfitness of the Democratic party to manage the affairs of this great nation. Among the things he said the following is worthy of publication:

I saw gentlemen here [shaking his head savagely and lifting his voice until it fairly rang through the hall] disobey the rules and commands of this house. I saw gentlemen rise and boast that they had defied the power of the house. If that is not anarchy and revolution what is it? 'We, in the house, are the fountain source of order, the law-making body. Shall we resolve ourselves into a body of Anarchists? If some one were to throw a bomb from yonder gallery he would be no less an Anarchist than he who on this floor defies the power of the house. While the people of this country are in the throes of hunger and starvation; when they expect us to do something, to become filibusters and obstructionists is to become Anarchists, for its purpose is the defiance of the laws of the country. We were sent here to do our duty; and a time when the cities are thronged with mobs and the people cannot go to bed in peace and comfort is not the time when mob law should prevail here.

Why the Democratic Party is Weak

Abraham J. Hewitt spoke boldly, plainly and probably better than he really meant to speak, when he said as he stood in the midst of the doctors themselves that "Southern statesmanship had deteriorated since the war" and that "the south must rise to the heights of the men who represented the south before the war." Mr. Hewitt is a democrat, who, upon more than one occasion, has found it necessary to castigate his party on account of its delusions. He is not one of those wild-brained theorists, too frequently found in the ranks of the Democratic party, who believes that America should surrender its markets to the peddlers of the world in the hope of stealing the peddlers markets from them while they are away from home. He does not believe that the American laborer can be maintained as a self-supporting consumer, by importing the goods from foreign lands made by foreign labor which the American laborer can and ought himself to be making for this market.

All of these fallacies are believed in by the southern so-called statesmen, and added to this, is their belief in a depreciated currency and it is for that reason Mr. Hewitt made the plain talk he did. He seems, however, to convey the information in his remarks, that he has a belief that the southern statesmen may reform his views and become a statesman in fact, instead of a theorist. But Mr. Hewitt failed in not pointing out the only way which can possibly lead to such reform. The southern representative destroys all power to rise to the position of a statesman, by holding on to the old dogma of state sovereignty. His every public act and public policy is made to conform to this effete dogma and that destroys his usefulness, as a representative, to direct the affairs of this great nation.

The northern wing of the Democratic party is the mere tool of the solid south and does its bidding, and thus the entire Democratic party is made to sacrafice its usefulness in its constant penance to the state sovereignty fallacy. The tariff question, the financial question and the suffrage question, as viewed by the Democratic party, is constructed upon the foundation of state sovereignty, which accounts for the fact that the Democratic party produces no statesman and is utterly helpless in its attempt to conduct the affairs of the nation upon principles that will bring prosperity to the people. There is to-day not a statesman in the Democratic party, and no man who can declare a policy for it. It is constantly at war with itself, for the simple reason that in the absence of statesmanship it endeavors to habilitate trickery with the garb of statesmanship and as a result it has become a mess of sectionalisms and conflicting ideas.

Mr. Hewitt might have said that the Democratic party as a whole, has ceased to produce statesmen since the war, and he might truthfully have added that socalled Democratic statesmanship from 1830 to 1860 led the country into the devastating conflict of the civil war through the infamous dogma of state sovereignty, which it was hoped the result of the war had eliminated from American politics, but which, unfortunately for itself and the country, the Democratic party through southern dictation has again enthroned.

Until the Democratic party abandons this blasting curse, which cannot again be permanently inaugurated in this government, it must continue to be a party, without power to do the country any patriotic or useful service, and dangerous when in power.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten-fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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A MATTER OF BUSINESS.

We will begin a

Six Day Cost Sale

—OF—

Dress Goods, Ladies' Muslin Underwear and Ladies' Mackintoshes,

THURSDAY MORNING, Feb. 22.

Every yard and pattern of Dress Goods in the stock goes AT COST during this sale.

All Muslin UNDERWEAR, Nightgowns, Chemise, Skirts, Drawers and Corset Covers GO AT FACTORY COST for this sale.

All our Ladies' Mackintoshes, in single, double and triple capes, go at New England Factory Cost for this sale.

A cordial invitation to friends and customers.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

151 East Main Street.

Redemption Notice.

To Miss Molly Hunt and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the County of Macon and the State of Illinois, on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1892, for the taxes for the year 1891, including interest penalties and costs, I purchased the following described real estate, situate in said county, to-wit: Lot 6, block 2, City of Maroa. The same was assessed and taxed in the name of Miss Molly Hunt, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1894.

JOHN N. BILLS.

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Redemption Notice.

To Jane E. Erisman and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:

You are heredy notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the County of Macon and the State of Illinois, on the second day of July A. D. 1892, for the taxes for the year 1891, including interes penalties and costs, I purchased the following described lot to-wit: Lot nine (9) in block (4) of H. Robinson's addition to the City of Decatur.

The same was assessed and taxed in the name of Jane E. Erisman and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the second day of July, A. D. 1894.

Feb.24-d3w J. A. BROOKWAY.



FOR COLDS,

COUGHS, HOARSENESS, Bronchitis, La Grippe, Whooping Cough, Croup, Asthma, Pneumonia,

And for the relief and cure of all

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Prompt to act, sure to cure.

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TUESDAY, FEB. 27.

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30 —— PEOPLE —— 30

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A PACK OF GENUINE BLOODHOUNDS—CARLOS, the Biggest Dog in the World—$1,000 offered for his equal.

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EVERYTHING **NEW** SONGS, MUSIC, DANCES.

A CAR LOAD OF BEAUTIFUL SCENERY!

The Great Steamboat Scene, Cotton Picking, Home in the South, Eva's Ascension.

The Grandest Street Parade

Ever Given. The Handsomest Uniforms ever Manufactured. No Exception.

PRICES—25, 35 and 50 Cents.

No extra charge for reserved seats.

The sale of seats will begin Saturday morning, Feb. 24 at Tyler's Opera House Drug Store.

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PRICES:

Parquet	$1.50
Dress Circle	1.00
First Three Rows in Balcony	1.00
Reserved Seats in Other Rows of Balcony	75
Admission, Balcony	50
Gallery	25

Boxes, $6 and $5.

The sale of seats will begin Wednesday morning Feb. 28, at Tyler's Opera House Drug Store.

Executrix' Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

Estate of Sarah Brett, Deceased.

To Penelope Montgomery, Alexander Brett, David E. Brett Richard Brett, Jennie Sawyer, Asa Guick, John Craig, Richard Rogers John Rogers, Sanford Rogers, William Rogers, Mary Wright, Margaret Thompson, Sarah Arnold, Mary Crossman, John Montgomery, Charles Montgomery, George Brett, Charles Brett, William Brett, John Brett and Mary Williams, heirs of said estate

You are hereby notified that on Monday, the fifth day of March, 1894, the executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, will present to the county court of Macon county, at Decatur, Illinois, her final report of her acts and doings as such executrix, and ask the court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate and her administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose so to do.

(Signed) FRANCES J. CHRISTY, Executrix.

Bunn & Park, Att'ys.—feb17-d2w

Redemption Notice.

To E. Cummings and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the County of Macon and the State of Illinois, on the 30th day of January, A. D. 1892, for the taxes for the year 1891, including interest, penalties and costs, M. P. Murphey purchased the following described tract situate in said county, to-wit: Part lot two (2) of East ½ Northwest ¼ of section 24, township 16, Norta range 2, East of the third Principal Meridian.

The same was assessed and taxed in the name of E. Cummings and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1894.

feb1-d3w. H. M. WHITEHEAD, Assignee.

BARGAIN COLUMN

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

120 Acres in Pleasant View township, to rent. Good prairie farm. Cash rent. O. T. Kirk, 300 North Water street. feb26 1w

WE OFFER AGENTS big money in exclusive territory. Our safes sell at sight in city or country. Agents first in field actually getting rich. One agent in one day cleared $61 so can you. Proofs and catalogue free. Address ALPINE SAFE CO., No. 380-381 Clark Street Cincinnati, O. feb24-d1t.

DESIRABLE ROOMS FOR RENT—The entire second floor; 4 rooms, bath room and closets 233 N Main is for rent. Apply to F. W. HAINES.—Feb22d1w

WANTED—Lady of good address. Salary $30 per month, church member preferred. Address GEO. S. OLINE, Decatur, Ill. Enclose stamp. Feb.21 d1w

FOR SALE—A good milch cow and calf. Apply to E. W. OKSPER, one mile south of Long Creek. Feb24d1w.

WANTED—The people to know that I do all kinds of furniture repairing, upholstering, chair caning, and rustic work. also, will sell and buy second hand goods. O. H. HARMON, 322 North Water st.—Feb 13d1w

FOR SALE—Two story house of eight rooms and cellar, 40 feet front. Good barn with driveway to street. Paved street. Sewer in alley. City water. Owner wishes to leave the city. 734 West Decatur street.

THREE or four gentlemen can be accommodated with day board at 319 S. Main. jan3t

WANTED TO TRADE—Will trade a stock of $1,000, $1,500, $2,000 or $2,500 of Clothing, Cloaks, Shoes, Hats and Notions for one or two good 5 to 7 room houses, from five to ten blocks from center of city. A good chance for any one to get a stock of goods to open a store in a smaller town; also, will trade with any one having a good property in a building and loan association. Inquire of Chas. T Johnston 151 N Water street.—jan13dtf

STOLEN—Two tarpaulin hay covers, about 22x14 feet, with the name of H. Smock printed on each. A reward of $5 will be given upon the return of them or them and the thief, or any information that will lead to their recovery. H SMOCK, 432 East Main St. jan5 dtf

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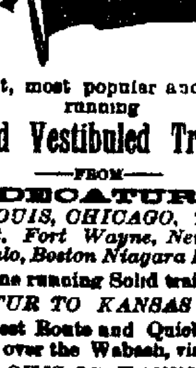
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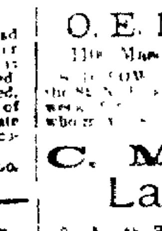
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A YOUNG girl who had suffered from St. Vitus' dance is now a happy and healthy wife, cured by Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer. Sold by C. H. Dawson.

THERE will be a feast of music at the Grand to-night by Goodman's Band. One member of the band Saturday night had sold over 300 tickets and a lady had disposed of nearly as many.

HIRAM L. LEWIN, the well known sporting man of Bloomington and proprietor of the Bouquet Saloon, who committed suicide by sending a bullet through his brain, left an estate valued at about $40,000. The body has been sent to Rutland, Vermont, for burial.

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THE employes of the F. B. Tait & Co., recognizing that they are liable to accidents, very generously contributed a purse of $12.50 to J. Witchett, one of their members, who was recently injured very seriously. The above amount was given to Mr. Witchett Saturday evening which proved a great surprise to him. He is getting along well, and expects to be able to go to work in the course of a week or ten days.

IF you have money that you can invest in DIAMONDS, you will be able to make it buy more now than ever before in YOUR LIFETIME. We have some. Buy decided bargains imported late last season when we could get them low. Now we will be glad to let you have them the same way. OTTO E. CURTIS & Bro.

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MAUD WAS JEALOUS AND DESPERATE.

She Took a Big Dose of Morphine at the Hotel Brunswick.

Story of a Divorced Wife, a Married Man, and What Came of a Buggy Ride.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. Maud Carver, a domestic at the Hotel Brunswick, aged 25, made an unsuccessful attempt to fall into the sleep that knows no waking in her room, leaving a note directing that her body be sent to her mother in New York City. Fortunately or unfortunately Maud was discovered in her room by one of the girls of the house, and Dr. O. R. Allen was summoned. He gave her a powerful emetic and by midnight the would-be suicide was out of danger.

Mrs. Carver is not a bad looking woman. Her experience thus far in life has been rathered checkered and her plans for the future are evidently full of complications and trouble. A few years ago she was the wife of Jasper Carver, a printer, who is employed on the Macon *Times*. Jasper formerly worked in Decatur, but finally drifted to Macon. One child, a little girl, now five years old, was born to the couple. Jasper and Maud did not live happily together, and at the last the husband got a divorce from his wife. The nature of the charges are not recalled, but the accusation was sufficient to secure the decree. At the time the divorce was granted, Mrs. Carver was in New York, with her child. She left it there in an institution, and came back to learn for the first time that her husband had a divorce, granting him the custody of the child. Then there was more trouble. Jasper married another woman and getting on a train he went to New York and got the little girl, bringing her to Decatur. This caused Maude many heartaches, but while she could not have her child it was some satisfaction to her to be near her little girl, and she has visited her quite often. Maud felt in her heart that she would never again care a snap for the best man on earth, and she settled down to work for a living in Decatur hotels. She got employment at the European Hotel, and while there became acquainted with a married man whose wife had run away with a man who had left his wife and children, the pair going to Florida, it is said. Maud sympathized with the deserted husband, and many confidences were exchanged. Her friend has arranged to secure a divorce from his faithless wife, and when the decree is granted, it is planned that Maud shall marry him. Maud had a girl friend at the hotel. The married man knows her, and he has befriended her, dividing his attention with her and Maud. Last Friday Maud heard that the married man took her rival out buggy riding. She couldn't stand that. It stunned her, and Saturday afternoon in the Hotel Brunswick kitchen, she concluded that she would end her life. She went out about 4:15 p. m. and bought five cents worth of morphine at a drug store, and then returning to the hotel kitchen, she drank some whisky and beer, her notion being that she would get good and drunk before she took the poison. She did not tell any of the girls that she was going to take poison. At 4:30 o'clock she went to her room, No. 8, on the third floor, and closing the door she swallowed all of the morphine she had purchased, first leaving a note on the table directing that her remains be sent to New York for burial. Maud did not appear for supper, and at 7:30 o'clock one of the girls went to her room to find her apparently dead. Her body was cold, but on close examination it was found that there was life in her. Dr. Allen was summoned, and after working with her a few hours all danger of immediate death was averted. The lover came to the scene. He found the morphine box and the note. There was no need of further explanation, but to say that he was scared would be putting it mildly.

It is assumed that he gave Maud a good lecture, and no doubt protested again and again that he would marry her, and that he didn't really care a continental for Maud's rival. Peace and happiness seem to be restored, and assurances are given that Maud will not make another attempt to take her life; but the whole affair is so badly mixed that there is no telling what may happen. It Maud's lover is faithful to her it is possible that she will linger yet awhile on earth to hope for the best, picturing to herself a happy home and a comfortable journey on the down-hill of life; but should he arouse her suspicions again, it is believed she will make another attempt at suicide.

Maud looks on life as something of a failure, but she is hopeful. Possibly her bright anticipations will be realized. Time will tell.

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Robert Mitchell and Miss Ella Moberly were to have been married Thursday night at Bloomington. Guests were invited and a minister was engaged to perform the ceremony at the residence of Mrs. Ellen Hayes, but the bridal couple did not appear. Miss Moberly formerly had a lover to whom it is said she was engaged to be married. About a year ago he went to Tennessee to prepare a home for his bride-to-be. Recently he learned that Miss Moberly was to wed Mitchell. He arrived at Bloomington Thursday, and is said to have sent word to Miss Moberly that if she married Mitchell he would shoot her on sight. The young couple were so alarmed that they abandoned their preparations, stole away, and were quietly married elsewhere. The Moberly and the Hayes residences were guarded by officers with Winchesters, fearing an attack by the former lover.

Marie Tempest in Comic Opera.

The most important engagement in opera so far this season will be the appearance here on Friday evening, March 2, of the noted comic opera artist, Marie Tempest, and the Whitney opera company in Smith & DeKovan's great opera success, the "Fencing Master." Among the other prominent members of the company are Miss Lilly Post, prima donna soprano, formerly of the McCaull Opera Company; Mlle. Thea Dorri, prima contralto of the Royal Italian Opera Company, Milan; Miss Julia Spencer, the Australian prima donna; Miss Marion Langdon, soprano of the Carleton Opera Company; Mr. Julius Steger, the popular baritone of the Algerian Opera Company; Mr. Gerald Gerome, tenor, late of the Carl Rosa Opera Company; Mr. A. L. Holbrook, formerly stage director and basso at the New York Casino; Mr. Ole Norman, Mr. W. West, Mr. H. Arthur Lieblee, and the two sterling comedians, Mr. Richard F. Carroll and Mr. H. W. Tre Denick, together with a remarkably strong chorus of well trained voices and an augmented orchestra under the directorship of Signor Tomasi. The scenery, costumes, and properties used in the metropolitan production will be carried here and placed on the stage of the Grand.

Harris Had Lots of Money.

Leroy Harris, the postoffice forger, whose pal and confederate got $200 out of the Decatur office, both capturing a total of $3,100 from various offices on his scheme, will soon get his trial in Chicago. When he was searched carefully a lot of cash was found. In the band of his pantaloons was found a big roll of crisp $100, $50 and $20 bills. In one of his stockings was another roll of money containing several hundred dollars. About $1,310 was found on him. All this money had been concealed on Harris since his arrest in the Buffalo postoffice over a week ago, and it escaped the notice of officers who searched him on three different occasions.

After he had been searched he was taken to the marshal's office, where he was locked up in the iron cage. As to the scheme which he is charged with operating so shrewdly, and by which he is said to have netted $3,100, Harris would say nothing. Harris operated in the east, and his pal did the turn at Decatur and other points. It is possible that Harris will confess and give up the name of his confederate.

Money for United Brethren College

The new Board of Trustees of the United Brethren College at North Manchester, Wabash, Ind., has been elected, and the organization will be completed March 2, at which time Prof. Kriebel, the wealthy member of the denomination who proposes to contribute $1,000,000 to an endowment fund for the college on condition that the trustees raise a stated sum and that the college shall be conducted on the university plan, will meet with them. All the details have been agreed upon, and the papers which will secure this handsome fund to the institution will then be drawn, the officers having performed all requirements.

Want More Stuff.

The great cut for the stuff sale of boots and shoes at Walter Hutchin's will be continued until March 3d. This is done in order to give a benefit to those who failed to take advantage of the past two weeks' great sale. The people depend on us for reliable boots and shoes, and you'll get 'em every time. Best wearing, best styles, best fitting. All $5 and $6 men's fine shoes cut to $3.50 a pair, all sizes and widths; all $4 and $5 ladies' fine shoes cut to $3 a pair. The remaining line of shoes will be sold at the manufacturer's first cost. All goods spot cash. This is to be the greatest of all sales. WALTER HUTCHIN, 117 North Water street. 21-d6

MRS. N. MEYERS, the Genesee county treasurer of the W. C. U., and a very influential worker in the cause of women, says: "I have used Parks' Tea and find it is the best remedy I have ever tried for constipation. It requires smaller doses and is more thorough. I shall use nothing else in future." Sold by W. F. Nesler.

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LAST WEEK Chas Smith, St. Louis, wholesale shoes, failed. The stock was sold yesterday. G. W. Powers bought a choice lot for 35c on the dollar. In the lot were some Tan Shoes for boys and girls of the same manufacture as the ones we just sold so many that gave such long wear, only these are a little higher grade. They sell all over for $2, they would be bargains at $1.75, dirt cheap at $1.25, but come and get what you want for

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Remember this, there will be no more of these shoes at any price.

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In effect Feb. 26, 1894.

WABASH.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass.... 8:25 p m	No. 9 Pass.... 8:00 a m
No. 4 Pass.... 11:57 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 3:05 p m
No. 44 Pass.... 11:25 a m	No. 43 Pass.... 4:05 a m
No. 42 Pass.... 10:10 p m	No. 45 Pass.... 4:10 p m
No. 2 Pass.... 12:15 a m	No. 5 Pass.... 5:20 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	**TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.**
No. 43 Pass.... 10:05 p m	No. 42 Pass.... 4:00 a m
No. 44 Pass.... 11:05 a m	No. 45 Pass.... 4:07 p m
No. 6 Pass.... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass.... 2:07 p m
No. 46 Acc.... 7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 8:05 a m
No. 70, Freight 11:05 a m	No. 71, Freight 4:05 a m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	**TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.**
No. 42 Pass.... 3:20 a m	No. 43 Pass.... 9:25 a m
No. 44 Pass.... 4:00 p m	No. 44 Pass.... 11:35 a m
No. 41 Pass.... 9:00 p m	No. 41 Pass.... 12:15 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement 10:20 a m	No. 46 Pass to Bement.. 3:15 p m
FROM CHICAGO.	**TO CHICAGO.**
No. 3 Pass.... 3:30 a m	No. 2 Pass.... 12:20 a m
No. 5 Pass.... 3:15 p m	No. 4 Pass.... 12:00 p m
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday 6:20 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday 6:05 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
Diamond Special, daily ..... 1:05 a. m.	Diamond Special, daily ..... 2:45 a. m.
No. 122 pass. ex. Sunday ..... 9:40 a. m.	No. 121 pass. ex. Sunday ..... 10:35 a. m.
No 124 freight, ex. Sunday ..... 2:00 p. m.	No. 123 freight, ex. Sunday ..... 10:20 p. m.
No. 102 pass. ex. Sunday ..... 9:00 p. m.	No. 103 pass. ex. Sunday ..... 5:25 p.m.
No. 702 (Champaign Line) leaves, ex. Sunday ..... 3:15 p. m.	No. 701 (Champaign Line) arrives, ex. Sunday ..... 10:15 a.m.

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass.... 2:50 p m	No. 2 Pass.... 11:35 a m
No. 3 Pass.... 8:30 a m	No. 4 Pass.... 10:20 p m
No. 7 Freight, 9:00 a m	No. 8 Freight, 2:00 a m
No. 9 Freight 8:00 p m	No. 10 Freight, 1:00 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass.... 2:55 p m	No. 1 Pass.... 11:05 a m
No. 4 Pass.... 8:35 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 10:15 p m
No. 10 Pass, Sunday only ..... 7:50 a m	No. 11 Pass, Sunday only ..... 8:00 p m
No. 14 Freight 10:45 a m	No. 11 Freight 2:05 p m

VANDALIA LINE.

ARRIVE.	
From Terre Haute.....	11:05 a m— 7:20 p m
From Peoria.....	2:40 p m— 7:15 p m
LEAVE.	
For Peoria	11:20 a m— 7:35 a m
For Terre Haute	7:40 a m— 3:00 p m

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February 26. No. 7.

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HALL ON DECATUR NEEDS.

One Thing is a Fool Killer, Not a Panther Killer.

Of all the great days during the great revival at the First Christian church Sunday was the greatest. Notwithstanding his five weeks hard work Elder Hall seemed well and fresh, and spoke at all three of the services with all his well known ease and fervor. The morning service at the church was largely attended. The sermon was on "Necessary Adjuncts in Soul Saving." The address was an hour in length, and showed the necessity of modernizing methods of church work. Incidentally the speaker hinted at the kind of a church he wanted in Decatur. Some of the points were a building that will seat 1,200 people in main auditorium, besides a basement fitted up for all sorts of industrial work, such as a kindergarten and sewing school for the poor, a printing office for the church paper and job work, a gymnasium for the young, a reading room, etc. The sermon was enthusiastically received, and in all probability the work on the proposed edifice will be commenced at no far distant day. The membership of the church is now close onto 700, and better and larger quarters are imperative. At the close of the sermon four more persons accepted the gospel invitation, and a large number of new converts made during the week were received into the church.

At 3 o'clock the Grand opera house was filled with a vast audience representing the very cream of the city to hear Elder Hall on "What Decatur Needs." After a very entertaining musical program, led by Prof. Hackleman and his choir, the speaker proceeded. As the address was an hour long, and was one of the kind that must be heard to be appreciated, we will only attempt to summarize. He said:

"Decatur needs lots and lots of things. Things material, mental and spiritual. But I will only attempt to point out our moral needs, and if I mention others it will be merely incidental. For instance a new union depot! (Great applause.) We have a mayor and city council and plenty of local politicians to look after our temporal wants, and good schools to largely supply our mental wants. So I will dwell on the following moral needs:

1. *A back-bone factory*; such an institution is needed by the churches, so they will have the courage to rebuke worldliness. Ministers and church officials need the back-bone to condemn dancing, card playing, and all forms of sin. Church members need the back-bone necessary to support the truth, whenever, wherever and by whomsoever preached. Then business men need back-bone enough to close their stores and shops on the Lord's Day. It is a shame that people should expect them to keep open. But if they will stand together, they can do as they please in the matter and the masses will accord. Nature demands one day's rest in seven, and no clothier, grocer, butcher or barber should keep open on Sunday. In Toronto the street cars do not run on Sunday, and I never have seen such a church-going people as there. Again every citizen needs back-bone. We should bring up the saloon question at the next election, and vote it out. The saloonkeeper, gambler, dancing master and brothel-keeper should all be run out of town together. They are a detriment to our morals, and we should have the back-bone to cleanse the city of their presence.

2. *A Fool-Killer*; more needed in Decatur than panther killers. The [illegible] the public utterances [illegible] to be stifled. [illegible] but by truth, love, kindness and sympathy. And the fool who runs when a speaker says something he don't like needs the services of a fool-killer. It shows a small mind and a weak cause to leave the house when a man who has the floor says something with which you don't agree. Then the fool who makes light of the church and religion needs killing. Certain young men sit around and fill up on Bob Ingersoll's slush, and then ridicule Christianity. They imagine the Colonel a great man, when he never graduated from any school, and never taught but a part of one term, the people refusing to let him finish (down in Tennessee.) He got rich at Peoria through his connections with the whisky ring, and at Washington and New York defending the Star route thieves and D. M. Bennett in the publication of obscene literature. The best speech he ever made, the one of temperance, he stole from old Dr. Gunn's medical work. A fool-killer is needed in Decatur just now to dispose of those who persist in quoting this high priest of rottenness.

3. *Decatur needs less churchianity and more Christianity.* Here the Elder drew a graphic picture of the church in apostolic days, referred to the many divisions existing now, causing a waste of time, money, and talent, and urged more unity and love among the followers of Christ.

4. *More Consistent Generosity.* You recently raised $200,000, in Macon County for the state Fair, and lost it. Well, you didn't lose much. It would have done us little good to have a lot of gamblers, horse jockeys, etc., come up here for eight or ten days once a year, and run such an institution. Give me $200,000 and I will use $50,000, in erecting a college building, and with $40,000 more of it I will erect four handsome dormitories for students, with $10,000 I will furnish these buildings suitable for work. With the balance of $100,000 I will endow this school—Decatur University—and in five years I will put 500 students here. If you can get no one else to take charge of the institution I will guarantee that the Christian Church of Illinois (70 000 strong), will take it and equip it with a fine corps of instructors. In 10 years such an institution among us would accomplish more for Decatur financially, intellectually, and morally than a state fair would in 100 years.

5. Lastly, Decatur needs more old-time sociability, and more love for the true, the good, the beautiful. Let us make it a city of refinement and culture. It is already worthy of notice along these lines, but there is great room for improvement yet.

Immediately following the lecture, which was listened to with absorbing interest throughout, the audience was dismissed, and everybody went away thinking. At night the spacious building was packed from pit to dome, to hear a fine musical program, and perhaps the most masterly sermon Elder Hall has ever delivered here on "The Trials and Crucifixion of Christ." Many were in tears during a large part of the address, which abounded in graphic descriptions and dramatic climaxes. At the close of the sermon an invitation was given to all who wished to become christians to manifest their desire by arising. A large number arose, and thus closed the most eventful day of the Hall-Hackleman revival. During the introductory services the Elite quartet rendered two selections, and the large choir delighted all with a very fine anthem. Services at the church to-night and to-morrow night, after which the congregation and pastor will engage in the union revival.

A Presbyterian Church Burned.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—The First Presbyterian church, corner of Chicago avenue and Lake street, in Evanston, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The church was a frame structure and was erected more than twenty years ago at a cost of $25,000. The contents were valued at about $5,000. The insurance on the building and contents is $21,700. The fire was discovered at about 9 o'clock at the time when the congregation was gathering for the morning service and many of the members watched the structure falling in ruins. Fireman Edward Dinsmore was struck on the head by falling brick and taken home unconscious. The cause of the fire is supposed to have been a defective furnace.

Snow at Chattanooga.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 25.—It commenced snowing here about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and at 9 o'clock there was three inches of snow on the ground. Reports from all over this section show heavy snow storms prevailing. At 9 o'clock the snow ceased falling, and at midnight the mercury was falling steadily.

The Princess Colonna's Husband in a New Role.

NAPLES, Feb. 25.—It is announced that Prince Ferdinand Galatro-Colonna has yielded to the requests of his friends to enter political life, and will accept the invitation to contest the province of Salerno for a seat in the chamber of deputies.

Death of Aurin H. Burdick.

AUBURN, N. Y., Feb. 25.—Aurin H. Burdick died yesterday morning in his 90th year. He was a partner in the great reaper firm of D. M. Osborne & Co. for over thirty years, and was the inventor of the Burdick reaper and several smaller implements.

15 Cents.

On this table we have placed a better quality and larger size of pin trays of which every one is a bargain.

J. W. Rabe, Assignee.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs W. H. Starr is on the sick list.

Al Bakestraw and wife are in Macon to-day.

Lute Shellabarger spent Sunday in Peoria.

Arthur Dumont was in Springfield Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. Walters is in Chicago visiting relatives.

Miss Mollie Farner is visiting friends in Pontiac.

J. R. Hockaday, of Emery, is in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taggart spent Sunday in St. Louis.

Miss Bertha Kersene has gone to Kankakee to visit relatives.

Mrs. G. C. Kinsman will give a euchre party to-morrow evening.

Will McBride returned to-day from a business trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. H. W. Bartholomew is entertaining Mrs. Theo. Nelson, of Chicago.

L. L. Burrows and R. G. Peddecord will arrive home to-night from Chicago.

Sam Maris, the Pacific Express Messenger, is in Chicago on a vacation.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Yancy, of South Dorenda street, February 20—a son.

Mrs. J. J. Swartz of Macon is the guest of relatives and friends in the city to-day.

Mrs. J. M. Maris will give a card party to-night at her home on West North street.

Walker Conn has been summoned to Ohio by the alarming illness of his mother.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Boyd, of 550 West King street, on Saturday, Feb. 27—a son.

Mr. Bushby, of the firm of Bushby & House, of Oakland, Ill., is in the city to-day on business.

D. A. Gepford and family of Harristown, leaves this week for Douglas, Mo., where he will hereafter reside.

J. H. Potter, conductor on the street car line, left to-day for Moweaqua to remain until he recovers from an attack of erysipelas.

S. T. Curtis, for the Wayne Sulkyette Co., left to-day for Cleveland on business. He returned Saturday from a trip through Kentucky.

Mrs. S. A. Ryan, of St. Paul, who has been in the city visiting W. N. Lanham and family, left to-day for a visit with relatives at Gibson City.

Several of Macon's citizens are in Decatur to-day, among them are: T. P. Doolen, Fred Franey, J. P. Fred, Joseph Beetle, Clint Webb, Frank Hight, Dan Tait and C. W. Cram.

CAUGHT ON THE WING.

IT is believed that the fly can make six hundred strokes a second with its wings.

THE vanity of the sparrow is so great that it will gaze into a mirror by the hour if not disturbed.

A SWARM of flies will make their appearance at a car window and easily keep pace with a train, even though it be rushing across the country forty miles an hour.

A FLOCK of geese is used by Dr. McBride, of Orange, Va., as a team. In winter they are attached to an ice-boat and draw him over the ice at a speed of a mile in forty-eight seconds.

THE condor soars higher than any other known species of bird, spending nine-tenths of its life floating above the rarified atmosphere at a height of over three miles above the level of the sea.

THE British cuckoo and the American crow blackbird were never known to build nests as other birds do. They content themselves with depositing their eggs in the nests of others, usually choosing that of some smaller representative of the feathered tribe.

IN Great Britain and many other European countries there is a widespread belief in the superstition that the common white pigeon is a herald of death. A bird of this species alighting upon a chimney or flying against a window is said to be a sure token of a speedy death in that house.

WHAT THE STATES PRODUCE.

MISSISSIPPI is second in cotton, fifth in rice, sixth in horses and mules, and seventh in sugar.

MASSACHUSETTS is first in fisheries, second in commerce, third in manufactures and printing.

INDIANA is third in wheat, fourth in corn and hogs, seventh in cattle and railways, eighth in coal.

IDAHO produces 1,500,000 bushels of wheat, $1,000,000 worth of fruits and 2,000,000 pounds of wool.

MAINE has 20,000 square miles of pine forests. The lumber industry sends out 400,000,000 feet a year.

TEXAS is first in cattle and cotton, second in sugar, sheep and mules, seventh in cows, eighth in hogs.

CONNECTICUT leads in clocks, is third in silk manufactures, fourth in cotton mills, and eighth in tobacco.

NEW JERSEY is first in silk manufactures and zinc, fourth in iron, sixth in buckwheat, and seventh in rye.

MISSOURI is first in mules, third in hogs and corn, sixth in iron and horses, seventh in oats, ninth in sheep.

THE LARGEST.

THE largest park in the United States is the Yellowstone. It is 65 miles north and south, 55 east and west, contains 3,575 square miles, and is 6,000 feet above sea level.

THE largest church is St. Peter's at Rome. The interior is 613 feet long, the nave is 193 feet broad, the transepts have a length of 446 feet. The dome is 195 feet in diameter and 448 feet high.

THE largest fresh water lake is Lake Superior. It is 400 miles long, 160 wide, and has an area of 32,000 square miles, or about half that of Missouri. Its surface is 625 feet above sea level.

THE largest statue is Bartholdi's "Liberty." Its weight is 440,000 pounds. The height of the figure is 152½ feet, the pedestal 91 feet, the foundation 52, one finger is 8 feet, the nose 3¼.

THE largest place of amusement ever constructed is the Coliseum at Rome. Its external circumference is 1,728 feet, its long diameter 615, its short 510, its height 156 feet. It had four stories and could seat 87,000 spectators, while 60,000 more could find standing room.

THE NATION MOURNS.

THE remains of Mrs. Lucy Stone-Blackwell are to be cremated, in accordance with a wish she often expressed.

COL. A. H. MCLEAN, who died, single, last week in Caledonia, N. Y., aged 75 years, was engaged to President Fillmore's only daughter, who died before the day fixed for their marriage.

FRANKLIN HAVEN, who recently died at his summer house in Beverly Farms, Mass., at the age of 90 years, was an intimate friend of Daniel Webster. He was long prominent in financial and railroad affairs in Massachusetts.

THE will of the late Carter H. Harrison, the murdered mayor of Chicago, disposes of property valued at $950,000. The entire estate, with the exception of $10,000 devoted to charity, is directed to be divided in equal shares among his four children.

BOOKS AND WRITERS.

MARK TWAIN looks old. His fuzzy hair is almost white and he stoops more than ever. But he can crack a joke with his usual vim.

WHEN Daniel Defoe wrote "Robinson Crusoe" he was fifty-eight years old, had failed of success repeatedly, and apparently had made but little of his life.

FRANCIS PARKMAN, the dead historian, was a nephew of Dr. George Parkman, whose murder by Prof. Webster in 1849 is still perhaps the most celebrated of American crimes.

"FROM HEADQUARTERS" is Lieut. James A. Frye's latest addition to the literary world. Lieut. Frye is a Boston man and bears to the national guard about the same relation Capt. King does to the army.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

Regular meeting of Myrtle Temple No. 2 Pythian Sisters, Monday evening, Feb. 26, at 7:30 o'clock. There will be work in the Knight Rank. All visiting Pythian Sisters are cordially invited. Mrs. Lou Wismer, M. E. C., Mrs. Lou Seeforth, M. R. C.

Celestial Lodge No. 186 I. O. O. F., will meet in their hall on Monday evening at 7:30. Work in the Initiatory Degree. Members urged to be present. Visiting members are invited. D. C. Gebhart, N. G. H. F. Harrison, Sec.

I. O. O. F. Progress Lodge No. 164, will have a special meeting at 7 o'clock this day. All members of the staff requested to be present.

ISRAEL REEVE, N. G.
MARY KELLINGTON, Sec.

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50 pieces fine Satin Damask, all good spring goods, beautiful patterns, 60 inches to 90 inches wide; our price will be 75c, 85c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 per yard.
Napkins to match every piece.
100 fine Satin Damask fringe cloth, plain white or colored border; until all are sold the price will be $1.49 each.

Our new line of White Goods is now on our shelves. Purchasers will find the best assortment ever offered. The line comprises everything in India Dimity, Linon de Dacca, Victoria Lawn, Nainsooks, Fine Cambrics, Masalia Cloth, Dotted Swiss Tucking, Checked and Striped Nainsooks, Satin Stripes and Plaids, Lonsdale, Barkely Jones and Rockdale Cambrics.

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Printed China Silks in all the new Spring styles.
Wash Swivel and Ceylon Silks, warranted perfectly fast colors. These goods are a novelty.

IN OUR WASH DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

French Figured Satteen at 15c.
Fancy Duck Suitings at 15c.
White Cotton Duck at 25c.
Fancy Cotton Galatea Cloth at 25c.
Imported Japonette, Figured, at 35c.
Imported Sateens, High Lustre, at 50c.
Princess May Zephyrs at 12½c.
Fine Dimity at 15c.
Dotted Crepon at 45c.
Fancy Dotted Swiss at 10c.
Figured Tonkin Crepe at 10c.

IN OUR LACE DEPARTMENT

Cream and corn colored Point Venice laces, 15c, 20c, 25c, 40c, and $1 per yard
Plain white Embroidery, 1c 2c, 3, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 12½c.
Irish Point Embroidery 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 50c.
Colored Embroidery 15c, 25c, 35c and 40c

IN OUR HOSIERY DEP'T.

Ladies' Fast Black Seamless Hose, 2 pair for 25c.
Ladies' Fast Black Regular made cotton Hose, high spliced heel and double sole, 25c, pair.

IN OUR UNDERWEAR DEP'T.

Ladies' High Neck and Long Sleeves Cotton Vests 20c each.
Ladies' Extra Fine Trimmed Neck, Long Sleeves 25c each.
We will close out the balance of our stock of Ladies' and Children's wool underwear less than cost of manufacture.

KID GLOVE DEP'T.

We have placed on sale 35 dozen ladies' colored Kid Gloves, formerly sold $1 and $1 25, at 60c pair.

50 LADIES' READY-MADE DRESSES, FORMERLY SOLD $7, AT $3.75.
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ELIAS BRAMBLE.

To you who have not given Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the king of remedies, a trial, we will say that for 10 cents you can get a small bottle (10 doses 10 cents) which will surely convince you of its great merits. Small bottles, as well as 50-cent and $1 sizes, for sale by all druggists. feb23-d3t

UNCLE TOM to-morrow night.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to E. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

CHICAGO, Ill., February 26, 1894.

ARTICLES.	Opening.	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Feb.	57½	....	....	57
May	59⅝	60	58⅞	59⅛
July	61⅝	61⅞	60⅝	61
CORN—				
Feb.	33¾	....	....	33⅝
May	36½	36½	36½	36½
July	37½	37½	37⅜	37⅜
OATS—				
Feb.	28¾	....	....	27¾
May	29¾	29⅝	29¼	29⅝
July	27⅝	27⅞	27½	27⅝

LONDON, 1 p. m.—Cargoes off coast, wheat quiet; corn nothing offering. On passage and for shipment, wheat and corn quiet.

MARK LANE—wheat quiet, but steady; corn steady.

LIVERPOOL, 1:30 p. m.—Spot at opening, wheat and corn less disposition to buy.

CLOSING PROVISIONS.

PORK—Feb., $11 83; May, $11 95.
LARD—Feb., 7 87; May, $7 10.
RIBS—Feb., $6 15; May, $6 20.

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS

Wheat, all grades, 30. Estimated 40.
Corn, all grades, 655. Estimated, 460.
Oats, all grades, 193; Estimated, 155.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 45,000; 15000 above estimated, market 5@10c lower. Light hogs, $4 90@$5 20. Heavy packing, $4 70@$5 10.
Cattle 13,000; market steady.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 70. Corn, 440; Oats, 190.
Hogs, 25,000.

VISIBLE SUPPLY.

FOR THE WEEK.	1894.
Wheat—decrease	1,410,000
Corn—increase	395,000
Oats—decrease	446,000

Minneapolis and Duluth got 238 cars to-day as compared with 480 same day last year.

Wheat opened lower and easy.

Corn opened lower and felt the effects of the decline in wheat, declining steadily during the session.

Oats opened low and were firm and steady.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—An industrial revival is reported from Birmigham, Ala.

—Jabez Spencer Balfour will be extradicted from Argentina

—Saturday was the German chancellor's sixty-third birthday.

—The state of Georgia and Connecticut will organize naval militia forces.

—The cruiser Yorktown sailed Saturday from Acapulco for Mare Island, Cal.

—Wiman, the alleged embezzler from R. G. Dun & Co., gave bond for $25,000 Saturday.

—Dr. Joseph H. King was arrested in Baltimore, Md., Friday night, charged with bigamy.

—On the 24th the banks of New York held $74,767,500 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent rule

—The report that President Cleveland is in ill-health is emphatically denied by Private Secretary Thurber

—The imports of specie at the port of New York for last week were $158,283, of which $107,712 was gold and $50,751 silver.

—The graceful dome of the Agricultural building at the World's fair grounds, was completely destroyed by fire Saturday morning.

—It is said that the Reed plan of "counting a quorum" in the interest of legislation is gaining many friends among democratic congressmen.

—The employes of the shops along the Philadelphia & Reading railroad will have their wages reduced 10 per cent commencing March 1

—The democrats have decided on Paul J Sorg, the tobacco king of Ohio, as their candidate for congress to succeed the late Representative Houk.

—In a dispute over the payment for a couple of drinks, a St Louis saloon keeper named Fred Sauerwein, shot two of his customers, one of whom will die.

—The imports, exclusive of specie, at the port of New York for last week were $7,130,095, of which $2,368,022 were dry goods and $4,762,073 general merchandise.

—Advices from Rio de Janeiro says that the government battery at Ponto Madame sunk the insurgent transport Murcurio, the boiler of which burst, killing several men.

—The Salem (O.) Coal Co. has notified its miners of a reduction in wages of twenty cents a ton, to take effect March 1. It is intimated that the miners will accept the reduction.

—The Thomas Iron Co of Allenton, Pa, will reduce the wages of its employes 10 per cent, beginning March 1. Stack No. 6 is now in blast, making four working at Hokendauqua.

—The notorious Eugene Prager, sentenced two years ago to twenty-six years imprisonment, for having tried to killed her husband, was pardoned by the emperor of Germany and liberated Saturday

—Owing to exposure following his late escape from the Chester (Ill) penitentiary, Joseph Hardin, the Centralia train robber, will probably suffer the amputation of both his feet, which were terribly frozen.

—William Leaders, a butcher, 24 years old was burned to death Saturday morning in a fire which destroyed a row of wooden buildings at One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and Amsterdam avenue, New York.

—An unsuccessful attempt was made Friday night to rob the city hall vault at Galesburg, Ill. The outside and inner doors of the vault were blown off with dynamite, but the small safe inside resisted the explosion.

—Eugene Patrick Prendergast, who assassinated Mayor Carter Harrison of Chicago at his home on the evening of October 28 last, was denied a new trial by Judge Brentano, Saturday, and was sentenced to be hanged on Friday, March 23.

—Col. C. H. Mansur, the second comptroler of the treasury, has decided that Gen. Sickles cannot under the existing laws hold his seat as a representative in congress and at the same time draw his salary as major-general of the army, retired.

—The available cash balance in the treasury Saturday was $138 754,638; national bank notes received for redemption, $470,325; total for the week, $1,669,095; government receipts, internal revenue, $315,870; customs, $302,418; miscellaneous, $14,731

—The Westinghouse Machine Co of Pittsburgh, Pa., announces a reduction of 10 per cent. in the wages of the entire working force Recently the number of working hours were reduced, and a number of men were dismissed on account of the large falling off in orders

—Judge Wing began the closing address for the defense in the Coughlin trial Saturday He will probably speak for three days. The closing address will be made by Assistant State's-Attorney Bottum, and the case will not be in the hands of the jury, it is thought, before Friday evening

—The weekly statement of the New York associated banks, issued Saturday, shows the following changes Reserve, increase, $236,675, loans, increase $1.889,300, specie, decrease, $671,400; legal tenders, increase, $1,689,600; deposits, increase, $2,750,100, circulation, decrease, $311,700

—Mr Hopkins' bill to reclassify and precribe the salaries of postal clerks which has been ordered favorably reported divides these clerks into seven classes and fixes their salaries as follows First class, $800; second $1,000; third, $1,200; fourth, $1,300 fifth, $1,500; sixth, $1 600, seventh, $1,800

STEELE MACKAYE DEAD.

He Passed Away on the Train That Was Bearing Him to California.

LA JUNTA, Col., Feb. 26.—Steele Mackaye, author and dramatist, died at 10 o'clock yesterday morning near Timpas, on board a Santa Fe train, while en route to San Diego, Cal., where it was hoped he would be able to build up his health.

Mr. Mackaye, accompanied by his wife, Dr. Parker and a nurse, left Chicago Thursday in the private car of George R. Peck, of the Sante Fe road. He had been very ill for several days previous to his departure. After leaving Chicago Mr. Mackaye's condition was thought to be slightly improved, and his death, while not wholly unexpected, came suddenly. Dr Parker made every effort to revive his sinking patient, but without avail. The car was detached from the west-bound train and brought to this city and at 8:50 p. m. left on the east-bound passenger train for Chicago.

Ill-luck followed Mr. Mackaye from the beginning of his last journey. In the first place his baggage, containing medicines, etc., was forgotten, and when a few miles out some fiend threw an iron bar six inches long through the state room, barely grazing the sick man's face in its flight. Then the heating pipes got out of order and the cold became intense. But despite these unfortunate happenings, Mr. Mackay's condition seemed to improve, and it was thought that his entrance into a milder clim ate would repair his shattered system.

Refused to Reduce the Sentence.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 25.—Judge Sage, of the United States circuit court, yesterday morning refused to reduce the sentence of Frank Porterfield, excashier of the defunct Commercial national bank, from ten to five years.

The Battle Ship Indiana Ready for Trial.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The Cramp ship-building company of Philadelphia has informed the navy department that the new first-class battle ship Indiana will go out on her preliminary or contractor's trial trip to-morrow.

HIGH LIFE IN NEW YORK.

The Cost of Leading, of Keeping Up With the Fashions.

"What does it cost to live in New York to support such an establishment as a married man in society in this city must have?"

When a Sun reporter asked this question recently of several prominent New Yorkers whose means warrant their living in any style they choose, he found that the estimate given not only differed widely, but that in the details there were lacking, every one of them, in what the majority of people would consider the most important items. In no case was any account made of the cost of food and clothing. These things, that with the most of us are first to be considered in the expense account, make comparatively so small a figure in the cost of a New York establishment that none of the questioned considered them at all.

It is an easy matter to induce almost any wealthy New Yorkers to make a detailed estimate of the cost of supporting an establishment; and the estimate will usually be based upon his own expenses. But it is not so easy to obtain permission to use the wealthy New Yorker's name. The first man to whom the question was put, for instance, made it a condition that his name should not be mentioned. It is seldom that he makes such a stipulation, too, for he is interviewed oftener and with better results than any other man in the world.

"A gentleman of fair family," said this prominent New Yorker, "to be in the social swim, if he owns his own house, can live handsomely on $50,000 a year, and can spend double that amount without any appreciable difference. In the latter case he has more servants and gives more receptions. For $50,000 a year he can live just as comfortably in this city as he could live quietly in some interior village for $5,000 a year. In the village he would doubtless enjoy better health.

"The servants are important. There must be a butler, with one or two assistants; a chef, with assistants; a lady's maid for each female member of the family; two laundresses, at least, two chambermaids, a governess for the children, a coachman, a footman, tutors for languages and music and two stablemen.

"The wine and cigar bill of course varies according to circumstances. Wine is not used so much now as it was a short time ago, and fewer gentlemen smoke; still, there must always be the best wines and cigars in the house. The church pew costs $300 to $500, and the opera box costs $5,000 for the season. There seems to be a little discrepancy here between the cost of religion and music, but I am merely giving you facts without comment. The newspaper bill is usually large—in the newspaper bill I include, of course, magazines of all periodical literature. Most men of affairs take all the principal newspapers of the city, even if they have time only to glance at the headings. They must know what is going on. For my part I read as many newspapers as an exchange editor, and consider it part of my daily business.

"For receptions, a prima donna costs from $500 to $1,000 a night. I say nothing about the stables, because a man may keep two horses or twenty, or none, without affecting his social standing; $50,000 a year is a fair estimate for a proper establishment. The expense need not go much higher and cannot go much lower.

The next wealthy New Yorker to whom the question was put, protested that his own experience could not be used as an example, for he lived in a very moderate and quiet way—very moderate, indeed his expenses rarely exceeding $25,000 a year.

"But I have plenty of friends who live in better style," he said. "Anywhere between $50,000 and $100,000 a year I consider a moderate expense for a wealthy family. For a moderate-sized house the rent may be estimated at $2,500 and that is very low for New York. There must be a man or woman servant for each of the children at $30 to $40 a month, a butler at from $100 to $200 a month, a chief cook at about $140 a month. You see, I am making the whole thing moderate. You can pay your chef $8,000 a year, like one of the Vanderbilts, if you choose. An under-cook at $78 a month, two kitchen girls at about $20 a month each, a governess, $40; two chambermaids, $20 each; coachman, about $80; groom, $40 to $50; stable boy, $30: two or more valets at $30 each, a lady's maid for each woman or girl at $30 each, two women for the laundry at $25 each, two gardeners, if there are any grounds, one at $60 and the other at $30 a month; two door boys at $20 each, and a boy for blacking shoes.

"Then there will be from six to twelve horses, with their feed, and anywhere from two to twelve carriages to keep in order. On this scale, which is a moderate one for a wealthy family in New York, you cannot estimate less than $75,000 a year, and $100,000 is safer."—N. Y. Sun.

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You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes; made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1891, for the taxes for the year 1891, including interests, penalties and costs, I purchased the following described lot situate in said county, to-wit: Lot one (1), block four (4), in Ashmead's addition to the city of Macon. The same was assessed and taxed in the name of L. K. Lake, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1894

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THE Vandalia Line has opened a permanent city ticket office at 114 East William street, in the Library Block, with a full line of local and coupon tickets to all points north, east, south and west. For full information, as to rates, routes, etc., call on or address W. W. Dorwood, city ticket agent, or J. C. [illegible] division passenger agent, Decatur, Ill.

THE JUPITER SUNK.

Sent to the Bottom by the Batteries at Nictheroy.

PEIXOTO'S SQUADRON GOES TO BAHIA.

A Lively Engagement Between the Government Forts and the Rebel Flagship Aquidaban—An Exchange of Shots with the Republica.

The Jupiter Sent to the Bottom.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The Herald's Montevideo, Uruguay special says:

An official telegram has been received from Rio announcing that the insurgent steamer Jupiter was sunk Thursday morning by the batteries from Nictheroy.

It is also reported that four steamers and ten torpedo boats of President Peixoto's squadron left Bahia on the same day. The destination of the fleet is not known.

[The Jupiter was fitted out in the summer of 1893 by Admiral Walkenkolk, when he espoused the cause of the revolutionists in Rio Grande do Sul. He took about 500 men with him on the Jupiter. President Peixoto immediately ordered the cruiser Republica to proceed to Rio Grande do Sul and give battle to the rebellious admiral. The Republica was joined later by the Cavena, and after considerable difficulty to two gunboats, succeeded in getting within range of the Jupiter. They chased her and captured her, without any resistance, off Santa Catharina. Waldenkolk was taken prisoner and taken to Rio de Janeiro under a heavy guard.]

A Lively Engagement.

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RIO DE JANEIRO, VIA MONTEVIDEO, Feb. 25.—The insurgent cruiser Republica, with Admiral Mello aboard, was off the bar on Tuesday February 20 she exchanged shots with the government forts and signals with Admiral da Gama's flagship. At 3 o'clock this morning the insurgent war ship Aquidaban sailed away. The government search-light revealed her later about two miles from the forts. Rockets were sent up from the government positions, and within ten minutes a hot fire had been opened from all the guns along the shore.

As the Aquidaban advanced the firing increased. She returned the fire briskly, and was assisted by Fort Villegaignon, which turned on all its guns as the war ship was passing through the narrows. The Aquidaban was struck with many shells, but apparently did not suffer any serious damage. After getting outside she shelled the military school on the neck of the peninsula opposite Fort Santa Cruz. Several shells fell in the city, but did no notable damage.

An insurgent officer told the United Press correspondent that the two insurgent vessels were going to Bahia to destroy the government fleet. The French steamship Portugal, which has just arrived here, met the Republica and Aquidaban with two transports on their way to Bahia. They should arrive at that port by February 24.

Admiral da Gama, with 500 men, is holding the bay and five islands against the government's ten thousand.

The officers of the United States cruiser Detroit report that the government is winning ground slowly in the southern provinces.

BRAZILIAN VESSELS,

Fitted Out in New York to Oppose the Insurgents, Not in the Fight.

WASHINGTON, Feb 26.—The report from Buenos Ayres, via London, that the vessels fitted out in New York for service in Brazil, with the exception of the dynamite cruiser Nictherov, had gone over to the insurgents, is partially confirmed in a letter received here from one of the American officers in the service of the Brazilian government. This officer says that while the America, the Pirating and the fleet of torpedo boats are not actually in the possession of the insurgents, their officers have such a high personal feeling for the insurgent naval officers that they are unwilling to take any steps against the force of Admiral da Gama, although they would not turn over the ships to the insurgent admiral. The letter also says that on the voyage of the Nictheroy from New York it was discovered that insurgent agents were on board through the stealing of the standardized sights on the dynamite gun. The sights were recovered, but it was necessary to restandardize them.

A Foot of Snow at Dallas, Tex.

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 24.—A great snow storm raged in Dallas and throughout the state yesterday. It began here at 6 o'clok, and did not cease until 9 o'clock in the evening. Over a foot of snow fell, but in the evening it turned warmer and greatly melted.

Democratic State Convention Called.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 26.—The democratic state committee met Saturday and called a state convention to meet at Nashville, April 18, to nominate five judges of the supreme court. The committee decided to call the state convention to nominate a governor in August.

A Supposed Bomb Found.

BOULOGNE, Feb. 26.—A supposed bomb has been found in the court of justice. It consists of a glass tube containing gun powder, pieces of iron, tin and bullets, together with some half burned wool and a liquid. The contents are undergoing analysis.

Will Suspend the State of Siege.

VALPARAISO, Feb. 26.—During the Chilian elections the state of siege will be suspended, except at Santiago.

Suffering from Catarrh.

MADRID, Feb. 26.—Premier Sagasta is suffering acutely from gastric catarrh.

Dead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Norman L. Monroe, the well-known publisher, died at 6:16 yesterday evening.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, Feb 24.—Speaker Crisp was in his place and rapped the house to order at noon. The senate joint resolution providing for the printing of 6,000 copies of the Hawaiian correspondence sent to congress since January 1, was reported and referred.

On motion of Mr Grosvenor the eulogies on the late Representative Enoch were fixed for Friday, March 16.

Sergeant-at-Arms Snow reported under the resolution adopted yesterday that Representative H U Johnson (rep. Ind.) was not in fact arrested under the order of February 19, and he asked that his name be stricken from the list as an act of justice to that gentleman. The report was received and the necessary order given by the speaker.

Mr. Bankhead, in the temporary absence of Mr. Bland, moved that the house resolve itself into committee of the whole on the seigniorage bill, and that all debate be closed in thirty minutes. On division the vote was: Ayes, 120, noes, 0. No quorum.

All further efforts to obtain a quorum to vote on this measure were fruitless, and the house, at 3 p. m., adjourned until Monday.

Congressional Forecast.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The present week in the senate promises to be barren in legislation but fertile in action looking to the shaping of the policy of the party in power on the tariff question. Three very important matters are expected to transpire to-day—the presentation of the tariff bill to the republican members of the finance committee; the democratic caucus with the same bill as a basis for discussion in which dissatisfied democrats are expected to be most active, and the report of the committee on foreign affairs on the Hawaiian investigation. It is not unlikely that in presenting this report, Mr. Morgan may make a long speech.

For two weeks Mr. Bland has unavailingly striven to bring a majority of the house of representatives to the support of his bill to coin the seigniorage of the silver bullion in the treasury, or at least to induce a majority to vote on the question on closing debate on the measure and thus bring it before the house for disposition. Mr. Bland says that the struggle will be kept up until the bill shall have been voted upon if it takes all summer. An impression prevails that the necessary and long-desired quorum will manifest to-day or to-morrow. But whenever that shall occur, the fate of the bill will still be undecided. A prominent member, who has not taken an active part in the controversy over the bill, but who has voted to consider it, said last evening.

"I very much doubt that the bill be passed, even if a quorum be secured to act upon it. In my opinion it certainly will not be until it is radically changed. If the republicans will vote with the democrats who are opposed to the bill in its present form, it can be shorn of its most objectionable features. The first section can be changed so as to permit the issue of certificates against the seigniorage only so fast as it shall be coined. With the present mint facilities this would amount to about $2,000,000 a month, distributing the issue over a period of nearly two and a half years. And the second section can be stricken out altogether. The proposition to incorporate authority to issue bonds in the bill will not be adopted. With the changes suggested, the bill will probably be passed, but not otherwise."

The republican programme seems to be to filibuster against the measure even after the presence of a quorum shall have been secured. The committee on rules expects to be called upon for an order to limit debate and take a vote. But until the quorum does appear, the members of the committee say that the orders of the caucus of last Monday to keep the seigniorage bill before the house will be carried out.

When the bill shall be disposed of, the election cases of O'Neill vs. Joy, from the eleventh Missouri district, and of English vs. Hillborn, from the fourth California district, in both of which the committee has reported in favor of ousting the seated members—Joy and Millborn—will be taken up, and afterwards the appropriation bills will be brought forward. There are five of these on the calendar already and four others—the river and harbor, postal, navy and diplomatic and consular—are practically completed and ready to report at any time.

No Prospect of Negotiating Extradition Treaties with Central American Countries.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The recent difficulties experienced by the state department in securing the extradition of criminals from countries in Central America with which the United States has no extradition treaty, particularly in the case of Francis H. Weeks, the New York defaulter, have been the basis of some correspondence looking to a treaty agreement with the result that the negotiations have been abandoned with no prospect of their renewal. The difficulty in the way of making the treaties is the fact that none of the Central American countries inflict capital punishment for criminal offenses, and the state department was not willing to negotiate a treaty which exempted murderers and others charged with capital crimes.

The Three Columbian Caravels.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The house committee on naval affairs has not yet decided what disposition to make of the three Columbian caravels. The Red Cross association wants them for a year for exhibition purposes, and Chicago wants them for the World's Columbian museum. Secretary Herbert, it is said, is in favor of keeping at least one of them, and bringing it to Washington for historical purposes.

Swept by a Cyclone—Fifty Persons Killed in a Railway Wreck.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—A dispatch from Port Louis, Mauritius, reports that a cyclone had swept the island doing almost incalculable damage to property and killing and injuring many persons. A crowded railway train was blown from the track and rolled down an embankment into the Coromandel river, killing fifty persons and injuring a large number of others.

THE NEWS OF THE DAY

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Heavy Suits Against the Rear Valley Irrigation Co., of Redlands, Cal.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 26.—James Gilbert Foster, of London, has commenced suit in the United States circuit court, this city, against the Rear Valley Irrigation Co., of Redlands, asking judgment for over $400,000. The money was loaned to the company by several individuals and corporations whose interests have been assigned to the plaintiff. The company has filed a statement admitting the indebtedness. The amounts sued for are $125,607, loaned by the Realization and Debentures Corporation of Scotland; $36,904 by Henry Allen and George Kingston, of Glasgow, Scotland; $100,000 by Henry Allen, of Glasgow; $73,982 by Mathew Robbins; $6,007 owed to Mr. Foster, and $50,000 loaned to the company by the Bond Corporation Co., of London, with $55,551 interest.

An Awful Double Tragedy.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 26.—Near Nanofalia an old feud between Wm. Norton and James Breckenridge has ended in the death of both. The men met at a country store and opened fire on each other. Norton fell mortally wounded. Breckenridge, to make sure of his work, drew a knife and cut the head of his antagonist from the body and fled. He was pursued by an angry mob, but when Breckenridge saw he would be captured and perhaps lynched, he drew a knife and cut his own throat from ear to ear, dying in sight of the would-be avengers.

A Literary Anarchist Sentenced.

PARIS, Feb. 26.—Jean Graves, an anarchist of letters, was tried in the criminal court Saturday for having published a book entitled "Societe Mourant," which, it was charged, contained matter calculated to incite to revolution and overthow existing institutions. Elisee Reclus, the famous geographer, testified warmly in favor of the prisoner. Octave Mirbeau declared that Graves had a superior mind and was regarded as a literary authority. Graves was sentenced to pass two years in prison and pay a fine of 1,000 francs.

More Breckinridge-Pollard Testimony.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 25.—The examination of witnesses in the Breckinridge-Pollard case was continued here yesterday. One witness testified that Congressman Breckinridge voted here on August 4, 1884, and another that he was engaged in a lawsuit here August 1, 2, 3 and 5. This is to dispose of Miss Pollard's claim that Breckinridge visited her at Wesleyan college, Cincinnati, August 3, 1884, and that she left with him for Lexington the following day. The examination will continue next week.

A Wife-Deserter Arrested.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 25.—Henry McDonald, of Atlanta, Ga., who deserted his wife and ran away with pretty Nellie Webb, a 17-year-old girl, and whom the police have been looking for ever since, was arrested yesterday morning. The girl's father has threatened to kill McDonald on sight. The prominence of the young man's parents and of his wife make the elopement sensational.

Killed by Dynamite.

HAZLETON, Pa., Feb. 26.—Michael Sitka was instantly killed and Hon. James Collins, an ex-member of the legislature from this district, was fatally injured by an explosion of dynamite at Jeanesville Saturday. Sitka was employed by Collins as a laborer, and was carrying fifty pounds of the dynamite, when one stick dropped with the above result.

Fatal Shooting Affray.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Feb. 26.—East of here Wilson Harvey, aged 25, became angry at his two uncles, David and Henry Harvey, and shot the former in the face, and was himself shot and killed by the latter.

Four Hunters Found Frozen.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Feb. 26.—Joseph Ebb and three others were found dead Saturday in the woods in the Seminole reservation, where they were caught in the recent blizzard while hunting, and perished.

Deserving Praise

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. King & Wood Druggists. am

A box of earth from the grave of Gen. Lafayette, sealed with the arms of the city of Paris, is on its way to San Francisco, whose Society of Daughters of the Republic is to plant a liberty tree in it.

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This being the last week in February and our stock still being entirely too large at this time of the year we are going to sell the goods out quickly this week and will continue our sale at low prices to draw the crowds. You will find every thing just as advertised, and we ask you to do your trading at our store this week as we will save you many dollars. We have some good Blankets, some good heavy Underwear, some Woolen Hosiery, Wool Mittens, Men's heavy Gloves, Ladies' and Men's heavy Overshoes, etc., that we are going to turn into money this coming week at prices never heard of here in Decatur.

Notions. Coats' Best Spool Cotton, 3¾c a spool
Best Needles at 3c a paper.
Cabinet Hairpins at 3c a cabinet.
Shell Hairpins at 3c each, 5 and 10c kinds.
Darning Cotton, black or tan, 3c a ball.
Stick Pins, one lot 15 and 20c kind at 8c.
Basting Thread, two spools for 5c.
Hair Ribbons, yard length, at 5c.
Dress Stays, 15 and 20c kind at 9c a set.
Dress Shields, 20c kind at 9c.
Shoe Dressing, big bottle 15c kind at 9c.
Heavy Rubber Dressing Combs, 25c kind at 10c.

Dress Goods. We want to cut our Dress Goods stock to one-half of its present size and we will make the prices do the selling.
$1.00 quality of Henrietta, black and all colors, cut to 69c a yard.
65c quality of Henrietta, black or colors, cut to 43c a yard.
$1.25 quality of fine Broadcloth, all colors, cut to 89c a yard.
One lot Novelty Suitings that have sold at 65 and 75c a yard cut to 39c.
One lot Novelty Goods that sold at 25, 35, 40 and 45c cut to 19c a yard.

Dry Goods. MUSLINS—
7½c Unbleached Muslin at 4¾c.
8¼c Unbleached Muslin at 6½c.
10c Unbleached Muslin at 8½c.
Lonsdale Muslin at 7½c.
Fruit of the Loom Muslin at 7½c.
25c Table Oilcloth at 19c
35c Curtain Dot Swiss at 23c a yard.
25c Wide Sheeting at 18½c.
25c Fancy Bed Ticking at 17c a yard.
12½ Cheviot Shirting at 9½c.
12½ Outing Flannel at 8½c a yard.
15c Check Linen Toweling at 11c a yard
25c Fancy Towels at 19c.
20c Fancy Towels at 12½c.
50c Cream Table Damask cut 39c.
75c Cream Table Damask cut to 48c.
15c Heavy Cotton Flannel cut to 10c.
10c Heavy Cotton Flannel cut to 8½c.
50c quality Jeans, for men's wear, at 33c.
Cambric Skirt Lining cut to 4½c a yard.
Dress Canvass, sold at 20 and 25c, cut to 15c.
Bed Spreads, $1 50 and 1.75 quality, cut to 98c,
Bed Spreads, $1 25 quality, cut to 89c.
Embroidered White Flannel, $1.25 quality cut to 89c.
Stamped Linens all cut in price.
Ladies' $1 00 quality Wool Skirts cut to 69c.
Saxony Yarn, 12½ kind cut to 9c a skein.
Germantown Yarn, all colors, 8½c a ball.
Zephyr 10c skeins cut to 5c.
Ice Wool, 25c boxes cut to 12½c a box, cream or black.
50 pieces Best Indigo Blue Prints on sale today at 4½c a yard, ten yards to each customer.
100 pieces of best 8½c Apron Check Gingham on sale at 4½c a yard today, ten yards to each customer.

Great Corset Sale. The stock of Corsets is twice too large and we will unload 50 dozen this week regardless of value. Read the prices.
29c will buy a good serviceable Corset, reduced from 50c. About 15 dozen on hand.
48c will buy an elegant Tan, Grey or White Corset,
One lot $1 00 Black or White Corsets cut to 79c.
Elegant Satine Corset Steels, were 20c, cut to 9c a pair.

Shoes. Remember our Shoe Department is offering bargains in Ladies', Children's and Men's Shoes and that we can save you on every pair you have to buy at this time.

Glove Sale. Our Glove stock is too large. The Gloves must be sold out at once.
Kid Gloves, large pearl buttons or lacing hooks, that sold at $1 50 and 1.75, cut to 98c.
Kid Gloves, button or lace, that sold at $1.00 and 1.25, cut to 79c a pair.
Children's Kid Gloves that sold at $1 00, cut to 63c a pair.
Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, have sold at 40 and 50c, cut to 23c a pair.
Ladies' Kid Mittens reduced to 50, 75 and 89c.

Great Sale. UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY—25c Underwear and Hosiery, to reduce stock.
One lot Ladies' Gray Ribbed Wool Underwear that sold at 75c, cut to 25c each.
All our Gents' and Ladies' Scarlet All Wool Shirts and Drawers sold at $1.00, cut to 68c each.
Ladies' Ribbed Vests or Pants that sell usually at 35 to 40c, cut to 23c.
Ladies' 15c quality Fast Black Hose, cut to 9c.
Children's 15c quality Fast Black Hose, cut to 9c.
Ladies' Wool Hose, sold at 35c cut to 19c.
One lot Gents' 35 and 50c Socks cut to 23c.
One lot (50 doz) Gents' 10c Socks cut to 5c.
Gents' Unlaundried White Shirts that sold at 60 and 65c, cut to 43c.
Gents' Unlaundried White Shirts, $1.00 quality cut to 69c.

Men's Goods. Men's Standing or Turned Down Linen Collars all cut to 10c each.
Gents' Cuffs cut to 15c a pair.
Men's Work Shirts that sold at 50, 65, 75c, cut to 39c each.
Men's Overalls and Work Jackets cut to 50, 60 and 65c; were 65, 75 and $1.00.

Umbrellas. One lot $1 00 Heavy Storm Umbrellas cut to 63c.
One lot Ladies' $1.50 quality Twilled Silk Umbrellas, cut to 98c.
See our Umbrellas at $1.25, 1 50, 1.75, 2 00 to 3 00.

Cloak Sale. Our great loss will be your gain in this department this week.
Remember you can have any cloak laid away by paying part down on it.
Some new Capes in Black and Tan just received for spring.
$10 00 will buy choice of elegant line of Ladies' Cloth Cloaks that have sold all season at $15.50, 16 50, 17 50, 20 00 and 22.50.
$7.45 will buy choice of Ladies' elegant garments that have sold at $10 00, 11 00, 12 00, 13.50, 14.00 and 15.00.
Children's Cloaks all go at about half of former prices to close them all out.
Plush Cloaks all reduced in prices to sell them out.
Fur Capes at $3.95, 4 95 and 7 50 to close them out.
A few Black Hare Muffs to go at 25c
Opossum Muffs at $1.25, 1.50 and 1.75 each.
Children's Sets go at about half price.

Blankets and Comforts.
$1.25 quality of Gray Blankets cut to 69c a yard.
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Lot of $5.00 and 6.00 Sanitary Blankets cut to 3 89.
Lot of Sample White Blankets to close out at low prices.

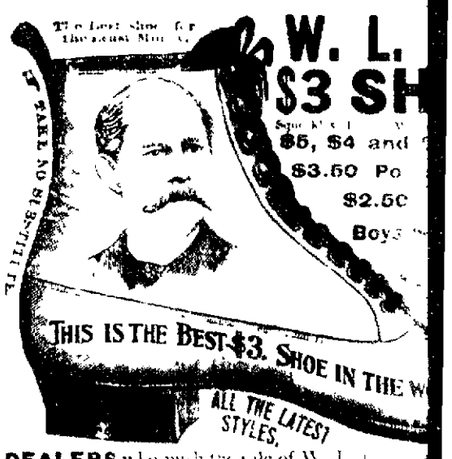
Carpet Sale. Our stock must be cut down at once.
Best Two-Ply Ingrain Carpets, sold at 75 and 85c, cut to 58, 65 and 69c a yard
35c Ingrains cut to 25c.
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Home made Rag Carpet at 25, 30 and 35c.
Mattings at 12½c 15, 17½, 20, 25, 30 and 35c per yard (new line just received and put on sale.)

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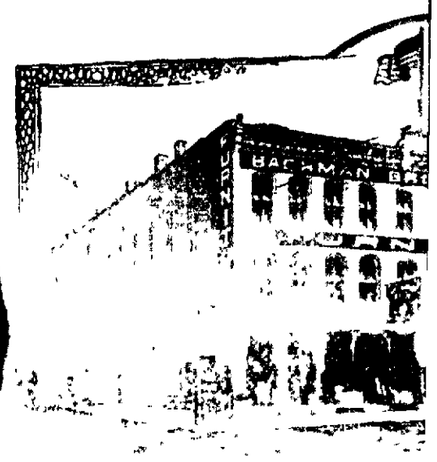
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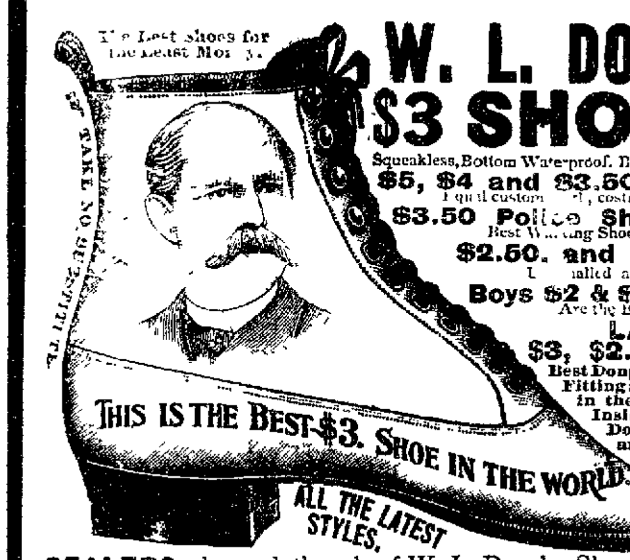
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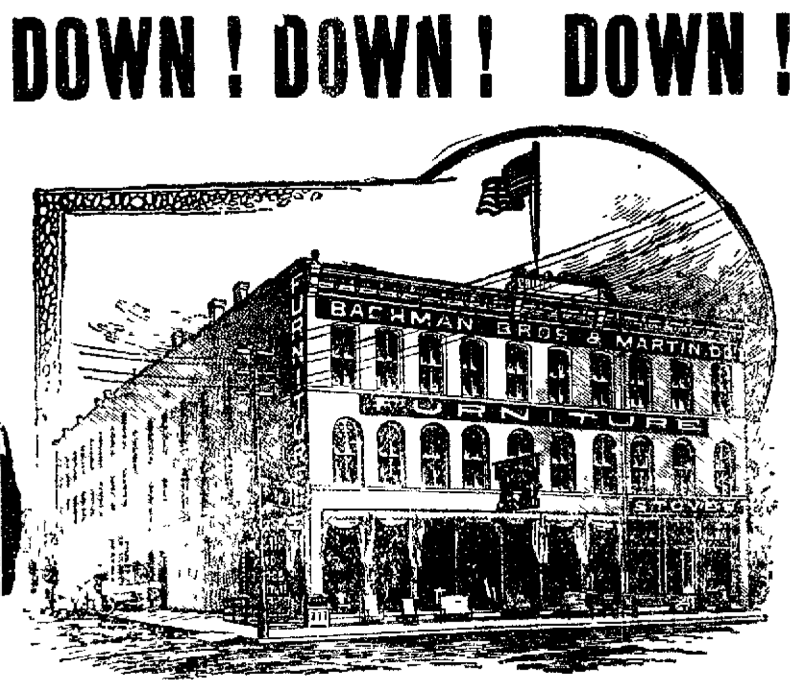
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CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

Female Seminarians, Serenaded by a College Glee Club,

ENGAGE IN NAUGHTY EXHIBITIONS,

Are Caught in the Act by the Authorities, and Are Either Expelled or Suspended—An Indignant Denial and Protest.

BOSTON, Feb. 26.—A special to the Boston Journal from Haverhill, Mass., says.

The Tufts College Glee club visited this city Wednesday evening, and after giving a concert in the city hall, before an audience consisting of the elite of the city, and afterwards being entertained by the Pentucket club, the club indulged in one of their college pranks, which has compelled young ladies at the Bradford academy to leave the institution

It was shortly after midnight when the female students at the academy were awakened by the college songs which were being sung on the campus. Some of the female seminarians had evidently expected the serenade, as inside of five minutes seventeen of them had tripped out of their rooms in various parts of the building to the room of a western young lady on the ground floor in the front part of the building

The young ladies were evidently entranced by the college songs and yodles, for they were soon giving exhibitions, attired in loose costumes, of high kicking and skirt dancing. This continued for about fifteen or twenty minutes, when the young ladies were dismayed at finding that one one of their number was none other than a tutor in the school They hastily tried to escape to their rooms without betraying their identity, but were confronted at the door by the principal and several of his assistants.

The names of all the young ladies were taken and next day three of the number received word that their presence was no longer desired at the seminary, while the other fourteen received notice of suspension.

The affair has created much feeling among the members of the academy that their liberties have been curtailed. The three young ladies were given until to-day to leave

Teachers and Students Indignant

BRADFORD, Mass., Feb 26—The teachers and students of Bradford academy are indignant that such exaggerated accounts of the occurrences last Wednesday night should have been published As a matter of fact, none of the girls have been expeled and none have been suspended. According to one of the teachers, the facts are in brief as follows

Last Wednesday night some Tuffts college students came over after their concert at Haverhill and serenaded the girls. The music naturally awakened them and some of them went to the windows to see the seranaders. They may even have talked to the boys, but no one has charged that anything more scandalous than a slight breach of propriety occurred A meeting was held Thursday night by the girls to disclaim and protest against the slight and thoughtless action of indiscretion, which a very few may have committed.

THE SICK CONGRESSMAN.

The Condition of Chairman Wilson Very Grave.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The condition of Hon. William L. Wilson, chairman of the committee on ways and means, is very grave, according to a dispatch received by Secretary Greshem yesterday from Mr. Crittenden, the United States consul general in the City of Mexico. The dispatch is as follows:

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb 24

Secretary of State, Washington, D C

Mr. Wilson has developed a remarkable typhoid fever. General condition grave, the fever as yet of a mild form. Dr. Mallet Prevost, whom I sent from here to Aguas Calientes (Hot Springs) to see him, has had him removed to Guadalajara, which he considers the location which will give him the best sanitary surroundings possible in Mexico. To bring him to this city would be most dangerous. He shall have the best of attention.

A copy of the dispatch was sent to the president.

No Hope of Leaving Aguas Calientes Alive.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 26.—J. H. Crandall, a business man of this city, arrived here Saturday from Aguas Calientes, Mexico, and stated that when he left on Thursday it was reported on good authrity that Congressman Wilson, who had stopped off there to take the baths, was in a dying condition, and that the physicians who were attending him had given up all hope of his being able to leave the place alive. When Mr. Wilson passed through El Paso he was a very sick man, but he exerted himself to respond to the many invitations showered upon him by the people of that city. In his exceedingly week condition the baths had a very injurious instead of beneficial effect.

Thousands of Cattle Dying.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 26.—The drouth and cold weather are causing the death of thousands of cattle in the Rio Grande counties. During the past three weeks there have been shipped from Alice station on the San Antonio & Aransas Pass railroad, 15,000 hides of cattle that died from starvation and exposure.

Died at Their Post.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Three officers and three men belonging to the coast guard crew at Inverness, Scotland, were drowned by the swamping of a boat while attempting to rescue the crew of a vessel in distress.

Killed by a Native.

PARIS, Feb. 26.—A dispatch from Senegal says that M. Vincent, the French administrator at Danganna, was killed by the son of a native chief.

THOSE MICHIGAN OFFICIALS

Not Only Guilty of Election Frauds, but of Robbing the Public Treasury.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 25.—The Journal last evening says that an investigation which it had been pursuing at Lansing for some days shows that several state officers have been guilty of extensive peculations from the state treasury. The Journal alleges that Secretary of State Jochim, State Treasurer Hambitzer and Land Commissioner Berry have made charges for mileage, hotel bills and other expenses which the law does not give them the right to collect from the state.

The constitution says that these officers shall receive no fees or perquisites whatever for the performance of any duties connected with their offices. The ex-offico duties as members of boards are "duties connected with their office." The state capital is the official home of the state officers. If they do not choose to live in the capital city, they cannot charge the state for travelling expenses and hotel bills, while in the performance of their duties at the seat of goverment

A state officer may continue his residence at remote points, or anywhere else, but if he choses to make excursions back and forth between these places and Lansing, he has no warrant in law to change the expenses up to the state of Michigan

By a table copied from the books in the auditor's office, the Journal shows that every time one of these officials served on any one of the boards of which he is an ex-officio member he charged for mileage from his residence to Lansing, hotel bills and extra expenses. and although meetings of different boards were held on the same day in the same building, mileage and hotel expenses were charged up in each instance

After marked progress had been made in its investigations the Journal was denied further access to the books, and the full extent of the peculations could not be ascertained. It is probable that the matter will be brought to the attention of the grand jury.

BRITISH SAILORS REPULSED,

With Heavy Loss, by West African Natives.

LONDON, Feb. 20—The rumors in circulation, based on dispatches for Bathurst, West Africa, that a number of British officers and sailors had been killed in a battle with slave dealers on the west coast, have been confirmed by official dispatches received. The first intimation of the disaster was given to the public through the receipt by his wife of a paymaster on board her majesty's ship Widgeon, of a telegram saying that British sailors had been put to flight in an encounter with natives.

Later more explicit dispatches were received. They state that the cruiser Raleigh, the flag-ship of the British squadron on the west African coast, commanded by Rear-Admiral Bedford, and the gunboat Widgeon, commanded by Lieut.-Com. Wm. J. Schullard, arrived Friday at Bathurst, capital of the British West African colony of Gambia. Though the admiralty officials refused to make public their dispatches, it was learned that the sailors of these two vessels had been defeated on shore.

Further details leaked out which showed that landing parties from the Widgeon and Raleigh had been sent ashore to punish Chief Fodisilah, a notorious slave trader, who had been carrying away and selling into slavery numbers of natives of the villages in that section of the coast over which he rules.

The sailors landed in force, marched some distance inland and in a fight with Fodisilah's followers, were repulsed with the loss of three officers and ten men killed and forty-seven wounded

The humiliating feature of the defeat of the British sailors is the fact that Fodisilah's men were comparatively few and armed with primitive rifles. Fodisilah has the reputation of being a fearless and desperate fighter, but no doubt was entertained of the ability of the land force to put him and his followers to flight.

A Million Friends.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. If you have never used this Great Cough Medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of throat, chest and lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottle free at King & Wood's drug store. Large bottles 50c and $1. am

IN some places in Berlin an insurance coupon for $500 good for seven days from date of sale, goes with every 6-cent drink of liquor.

W. I. CHURCH, of Staunton Post, G. A. R., says: "I have tried nearly every cough remedy but have found nothing to compare with Parks' Cough Syrup. There is nothing on earth like it for bronchitis. I have suffered ever since my discharge from the army, and Parks' Cough Syrup is the only remedy that has ever helped me." Sold by W. F. Neisler.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ASSESSOR.

WE are authorized to announce SAMUEL T. KEELER as a candidate for the office of Assessor for Decatur township, subject to the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. ALEXANDER as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican township convention *

TOWN CLERK

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES H DEETZ as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention. *

WE are authorized to announce HARDIN C. WALLACE as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN NICHOLLS as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican convention. *

TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR.

WE are authorized to announce E. G. ALLEN as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce ALBERT S MORGAN as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES N TWADELL as a candidate for Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authdrized to announce JAMES W REAVIS as a candidate for Collector, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES M. CALDWELL as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the Republican township convention. *

WE are authorized to announce JACOB S. COX as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN S. JONES as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce THOMAS L. ANTRIM as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the action of the Republican convention. *

CITY NEWS.

10 Cents.

For the above price you can buy a beautiful line of pin trays or burnt match receivers in beautiful decorations. Only a limited quantity left at this price.
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TAKE the children to see Uncle Tom.

LOOKOUT for the Big Uncle Tom parade Tuesday.

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FINE Toilet Soaps at Dawson's.

COUGH remedies, all kinds, at Dawsons'

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25dtf

HAIR BRUSHES and combs cheap at Irwin's drug store.

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FRESH garden seeds in bulk at the Spencer & Lehman company's. feb6-d3m

AFTER this week there will be no entertainments in the opera house for two weeks.

GO TO to Henry Bros.' bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. sept26-dtf

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

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SMOKE Golden Keys at Dawson's.

CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache—10 doses 10 cents. jan4-dtf

BUY what you want for the table at Towne & Murphey's handy grocery store, 143 South Water street

SMOKE those popular Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. They are made by Joseph Michl.

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MISS WILDER announces that she will receive a limited number of pupils in china decorating, miniature and water color painting.

SPLENDID family groceries and fruits, country butter and eggs every day at Philip Kemper's store on North Water street.

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager, L. Chodat and learn how. dec16dtf

HEAR Bishop Fowler's great lecture on "Great Deeds of Great Men" Tuesday evening, February 27th, at Grace M. E. church. Reserved seats at King & Wood's drug store. 22-d5t

THE Spencer & Lehman company have the exclusive agency for the celebrated Troy Carriage company's surreys, also for the Heeney Buggy company's full line of goods. A full assortment of carriages, buggies, road wagons, etc., constantly on hand. Prices cheap and work warranted. feb6-d5mo

PEOPLE troubled with sick and nervous headache will find a most efficacious remedy in Ayer's Cathartic Pills. They They strengthen the stomach, stimulate the liver, restore healthy action to the digestive organs and thus afford speedy and permanent relief.

CHEAP prices to Uncle Tom's Cabin. The prices for Stetson's Big Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. which appears at the Grand next Tuesday evening, Feb. 27, will be only 25, 35 and 50 cents. When it is taken into consideration that this is the largest and best company that comes to this city in this famous play the prices are low enough to allow all to go.

THERE was a small but dangerous fire Saturday evening in the basement of the Dr. A. S. Waltz building on North Main street. A clerk in the installment store had gone to the basement to get some coal oil from a barrel. He stepped on a parlor match, and the oil took fire. The department succeeded in promptly extinguishing the flames by using the chemical apparatus.

THE Musical Division of the Woman's club earnestly request the ladies and gentlemen of Decatur who are interested in the study of music to meet Prof. Derthick, of Chicago, in the club rooms on Tuesday, Feb. 27, at 7:30 p. m., at which time he will explain his course of "Musical Evenings," with a view to forming a class.

FIRE in the Bloomington stove works Sunday morning caused a loss of $15,000. The works had been shut down on account of depression in business since before Christmas, but were to have been started up again to-day with a full force of men. The loss is covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

THE three workmen, three distinct types of American wage toilers, in "The Lost Paradise," which comes to the Grand to-night, are impersonated by three of the best character actors that Charles Frohman has enrolled in his vast army of players, namely, Lawrence Eddinger, S. S. Wiltsie and James H. Cody.

THE Cumberland Presbyterian church will hold a social and acquaintance meeting this evening at 7:30 in the W. C. T. U. hall, Library Block. The members of the church and congregation are invited to attend, especially the young people and their friends.

THE funeral of the little niece of Mr. Charles Morris and wife will take place from the Morris residence, No. 429 Prairie avenue, to-morrow forenoon at 9:30, and will be conducted by Rev. A. W. Hawkins, of the Cumberland Presbyterian church.

PROF. LEONARD'S dancing class is postponed to Wednesday night owing to the Goodman band concert.

CALL at Dr. Hoskin's new dental office in Grand opera house block, ground floor. jan8-d&wtf

ONE plain drunk bond was forfeited in Justice Provost's court to-day.

A Popular Store.

Mr. O. J. Munson, who located a few weeks ago in the retail grocery business in the McNabb building, at 403 North Main street, is now in the full tide of mercantile success. He carries a large and varied assortment of staple and fancy groceries, and commands a large patronage which is steadily growing, due largely to good goods, low prices, prompt delivery and the uniform courtesy of Mr. Munson and his obliging clerks. Connected with the store is a complete meat market, where anything wanted for the table can be had. Step in and see Mr Munson.

In the Race for Collector.

In this issue James W. Reavis is formally announced as a candidate for collector, and will abide by the action of the Republican convention. "Jim," who is a veteran of the late war, has always been an active Republican in the ranks, and all of his influence has been for party success. He is a splendid accountant, his occupation being that of a bookkeeper. Mr. Reavis has hosts of personal friends who would be glad to see his name on the ticket, and if he gets the nomination he will be elected.

FOR THE LABORERS.

THE United States cotton crop in 1892 was 9,038,707 bales.

GERMANY prohibits the employment of union men on government works.

IN manufacturing occupations the average life of soapboilers is the highest, and that of grindstone-makers the lowest.

BREEDERS of sheep in the south of England have had several years of declining values, terminating last year in disastrous losses, consequent upon the absence of feed, owing to the bleak winter and unfavorable spring.

Bishop Fowler's Lecture

given at Quincy recently was so well received that they have arranged to have it repeated. You will miss a great treat if you fail to hear him Tuesday evening, Feb. 27th, at Grace M. E. church. Reserved seats at King & Wood's drug store.

Tax Notice.

Your taxes for 1893 are now past due. You are requested to call at my office, 123 North Water street, and get your receipt. Don't put the matter off to the last minute, but come now and avoid the crowd. R. P. LITTLE, Collector.
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Spoonholders.

In this line of goods you will find some one hundred different styles of china and glass, both fancy and plain, which we are closing out at the uniform price of 15 cents each. Do not fail to get one of these spoonholders. J. W. RACE, Assignee.

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CALL on Miss Nellie B. Calhoun, at the office of the Columbia Mfg. Co., 114 South Water St., for first class stenographic work. tf

THE CHAPMAN MEETINGS.

Preparations for the Big Union Revival—Another Committee.

A largely attended meeting of Decatur pastors was held this forenoon in room 1 at the First M. E. church. The Dr. Chapman revival was the chief subject of consideration. The churches to unite in the work are nine in number. They are the First M. E. church, Grace M. E. church, First Baptist church, First Presbyterian church, First Congregational church, United Brethren church, Church of God, Christian Church, German Methodist church and the Cumberland Presbyterian church.

It was announced that Rev. Mr. Elliott will arrive on Wednesday, Feb. 28, and hold the first preliminary meetings at the First M. E. church that evening. His work will be preparatory. He is noted in evangelistic work, and devotes his time largely to Bible reading.

Dr. Chapman will arrive on Monday, March 5th, when the revival proper will begin at the Grand Opera House, and the members of all the churches will assist in the work.

Rev. D. F. Howe and Rev. J. A. F. King were appointed a special committee to look after overflow meetings during the revival.

It was arranged for a season of prayer by the pastors before each evening service.

Has Not Heard From Pennsylvania

The *Herald-Despatch* claims to be a pure hearted independent newspaper but we notice that it has failed to inform its readers as to the result of the recent Pennsylvania election. Its independence seems to have been put to sleep by the blow the Democracy received in that state. This simply shows that it has been badly hurt by the result of that election. No one except the Democrats, have been crushed by the people of Pennsylvania. Every body else is happy over the result.

This leads logically to the conclusion that the independence of the *Herald-Dispatch* is simply a cover for the stiletto it plunges into the Republican party whenever it finds an opportunity to stab it when it will do the party the most harm. It is well that Republicans are discovering this fact, and as a result of that discovery, are placing it in the position where it belongs—the junior Democratic organ of the city. Assumed independent papers in the larger cities and towns, as a class, are independent just as the *Herald-Despatch* is, for the stuff they can go out of both political parties, while politically they manage to do the Republican party more harm than the honest open faced Democratic paper can possibly do it, because the honest Democratic paper makes a square open fight under its own flag, while the bush whacking Democratic paper, calling it self independent is all smiles when it meets Republicanism on the road, but covertly sweeps around it and shoots it from ambush as it is passing by.

I TAKE pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Decatur that I have leased the vacant store in the Opera House Block, 142 South Water street, and will open on March 1, with a first class tailoring establishment. My stock comprises a well selected line of high class woolens, in both domestic and foreign manufacture. My prices will not be any lower than you have been accustomed to pay, but I will incidentally mention that style, fit, and workmanship will be unequaled. Kindly give me a call. Very truly yours,
C. M. UTLEY.

Sales of Real Estate.

Fred Nientker to Minerva J. Harritt, lots 11, 14 and 15, block 1, Nientker's addition to Boody—$150.

Hiram Johnson to Fred Stern, lot 10, block 3, M. F. Kanan's addition to Decatur—$550.

Mettie McWithey to John A. Brown, lot 15, block 3, Riverside Place—$1500.

W. H. Starr, I. R. Mills et al to Hubert H. Wilkin, lot 11, block 1, Riverside Place—$450.

Albert T. Summers to Anna J. Dimock, lot 8 Montgomery & Hall's addition to Decatur—$2300.

J. M. Clokey to G. S. Lyon and John Armstrong, deed to lot 3, block 2, Syndicate addition—$400.

I. R. Mills to James F. Reid, deed to lots 1 and 4, block 4, Riverside Place—$800.

R. M. Hungerford to Walter M. Crawford, deed to 80 acres in 23, 18, 2 east—$16,500.

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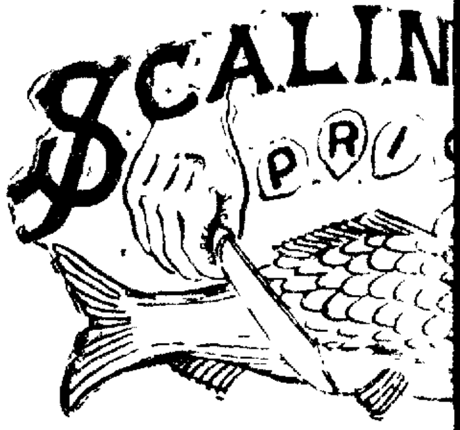
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